If you are going to have a sale this spring leave your date, and order bills at this office. A free notice goes with all bills printed here.

The Columbian.

Everybody is welcome to a calendar for 1895, who will call at this office for it, whether they are subscribers or not. Only a few more left. Come soon.

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A SUGGESTED TRAMP PROVISION IN BLOOMSBURG.

All tramps should have a place provided for them down near the grist mill. A warm shelter to be provided and comfortable cots or hammocks to sleep in. A good sized hand-mill fastened to the wall and corn meal or whole wheat grain supplied to them at the town's expense; and if they wanted food give each one a pint of wheat for a meal and let the tramp grind it in the mill so he would have crushed wheat; then let him have salt and water to boil in it, and a sauce pan or pot, and a spoon to stir it, and eat with. Then let all the families in town be supplied with tickets of admission to this place for the tramp, and to every tramp that comes along let them give them a ticket, and if the tramps would be too lazy to grind the wheat and smoke his own mush let him go on further until he got sufficiently hungry to do so. All good, honest men who are out of work and are hungry will only be too glad to get even the privilege of helping themselves, and will feel grateful for even that much. Its only the bona fide sponger that will kick and call it hard treatment. We mean those who go around sponging, and when the kind hearted ladies of Bloomsburg have even fixed up lunches fit for a king, made up of bread and butter and roast turkey, jelly cakes and pie, and give them to these fellows to take along they have, after going out, left them on the fence or gate—too lazy to carry it along. Such people are not bettered or helped, but only made worse, like spoiled children, by indulgence; and instead of being lifted up and made better, they are made lower and a great deal worse by such indulgence. All honest, hungry men deserve something to eat, and should get it, and they are glad to receive it, but it should be given in such a way as will give them an idea of how cheap they can live at home and do not need to go tramping away from home.

A CITIZEN.

Railroad Crossing—Look Out for Cars.

Favorable report is now made of the prospects of recovery of Edward Hummell, Lawyer Potter and Miss Burns, whom it will be remembered were recently caught by an engine while out sleigh-riding and about to cross the track near Selins Grove. They are all slowly improving. Mr. Hummell left his bed for the first time since the accident on the 21st of February.

C. F. Teats, a milkman of Paxinos, met with a similar accident on the morning of Washington's birthday in attempting to cross a street in Shamokin just as a train was passing. All signals failed to arrest his attention in time. His horses got over, but the engine struck his milk wagon in such a way as to make it impossible for him to serve customers that day. Mr. Teats was thrown on the track in front of the engine, and the horrified witnesses for the moment turned their faces away from the scene; but in some miraculous way the man managed to roll off the track before the wheels crushed him. Being interviewed after the accident, Mr. Teats said: "I did not hear the train coming nor did I see the signal until I was just going on the track and it was too late. How I escaped death I don't know. All I remember is that I saw the engine in front of me and by some unknown power, was able to roll off the track just as the engine passed me."

Under the thrilling circumstances it is indeed miraculous that Mr. Teats is still preserved to sell his milk and to remember that where the railroad crosses it is best to look out for the cars before you get on the track.

Home Personals Wanted.

We shall esteem it a favor if those who are entertaining friends or relatives from abroad, or who contemplate themselves going abroad, will tell us of it by postal or otherwise. We would be pleased to mention a kind word for the sick or at least speak of their condition if sympathetic friends would tell us of it, by postal or otherwise. Our columns are open for home news.

The postal is always preferable and for many reasons. The first is that the data given in conversation cannot always be remembered, and the spelling of names of strangers can only be guessed at, as there is no undeviating rule for spelling proper names. A casual remark to an editor or reporter, unless jotted down at once, is apt to escape him. We respectfully solicit home personals.

The next thing to be anticipated is inundation of towns along streams gorged with ice.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

The Public Schools of our town observed the 163d anniversary of Washington's birth in a most profitable and impressive way. There was but one session from 8.30 A. M. to 1 P. M. and the other half of this time was given to singing, reading, recitation, and other exercises commemorative of our renowned and immortal Washington.

In former years, the schools were closed on this holiday, and it is safe to say that a large majority of the pupils passed through it without even a thought of him for whose honor it was instituted. Thus the very object for which the schools were closed was not attained. In view of this fact, and in accordance with the decision of State Superintendent Shaffer, our progressive School Board, ever attentive to the interests of our Public Schools, directed that Washington's Birthday should be properly observed in each school room. This move will be especially popular with all patrons that desire their children to see, to be impressed with, and to develop those qualities of character that are so admirably exhibited in the life of the "Father of our Country." The best place and time for pupils to learn of Washington's military ability, his political wisdom, unselfish devotion to duty, courage, sublime hopefulness under defeat, strong will, marvelous insight into character, abiding faith in God, absolute integrity, and his purity of motive, is in the school room on the very anniversary of his birth. If the observance of this holiday by appropriate exercises in the Public Schools is a good thing, we believe that it would be equally as good to keep all except the sacred holidays in the same way.

The Guess Candle.

We respectfully call the attention of the many residents of Bloomsburg and vicinity to the large wax candle now on exhibition in our show window and desire to state that the guessing will be open to everyone, men, women and children. The guessing is free, no purchases required. The candle will be lighted the evening of March 1st, at 7 p. m. in the presence of A. H. Bloom, cashier of the Farmers National Bank, W. S. Moyer, of the firm of Moyer Bros., and J. C. Rutter, Jr., of the *Daily* office, who will act as judges when the candle is about to burn out. Cut out the coupon in either of the following papers: Bloomsburg *Daily*, *Sentinel*, COLUMBIAN, *Republican*, Catawissa *News Item* or Benton *Argus*, and bring or send duplicate with your guess to our store where it will be deposited in a tightly sealed jar. Retain the other part for reference. We limit no one, everyone can guess. First prize, trip to Atlantic City; Second prize, mackintosh coat; Third prize, the "Bloomsburg" hat. The candle will burn continually day and night after it is once lighted and we will keep you posted through the Bloomsburg *Daily*. J. M. GIDDING & Co.

P. S. Those not having a coupon from either one of the above papers can call at our store and procure one.

A Runaway.

The town was somewhat startled by a runaway on Friday morning. A horse belonging to Mr. Shuman, hitched to a sleigh and tied to an iron awning prop in front of Mr. Kline's harness store, being frightened by a paper blown down the street, sprang aside, and in doing so pulled the prop out. This came rattling down in such a way as to greatly add to the animal's first fright. After several vain attempts to get loose from the dangling and dragging iron post, swinging it about in such a way as to endanger the life of any one presuming to catch the horse, it went tearing down Main street and Market, and finally it was caught, without much serious damage, at Snyder & Magee's store. The horse was somewhat bruised and a shaft broken as the result of the mishap.

Cummings & Verdy Co.

The Cummings & Verdy Co. was organized January 25, 1895, and chartered under laws of Pennsylvania in February, 1895, as manufacturers of chewing gum and wholesalers of confectionery, cakes, crackers, &c. The board of officers as now constituted are W. B. Cummings, President and Treasurer, G. W. Verdy, Vice-President, C. W. Frantz, Secretary and H. C. Churchill, Superintendent. The following named gentlemen constitute the directors: W. B. Cummings, G. W. Verdy, H. C. Churchill, C. W. Frantz, and Robert Elliott. These gentlemen are all competent and reliable, and they are driving quite a trade.

GENTRY HAS AN EVEN CHANCE.

His Physician Says That He May Live or May Die at Any Time.

"Gentry's condition is such that he may get well or die at any time," was the remark make by Dr. Page, who is attending the slayer of the actress, Madge Yorke, on Monday evening at the German Hospital. "The most serious trouble he has had to contend with was his broken rib. The fracture had gone so long without attention that the effects of this neglect might prove fatal. At times, he seemed stronger, but at others he did not appear to possess the strength that I credited him with. That is why I say he may take a relapse at any moment and rapidly sink away until he expires.

"The knife wounds that he inflicted over his heart are very superficial and show more that he made them as a pretense at suicide rather than with an actual purpose to make away with himself. In other words, it looks like a bluff at self-destruction."

Two policemen are constantly at his bedside, but no other person has visited him except the lieutenant from the station house. No friends who knew him on the stage have been to see him. Once in a while a letter or telegram of inquiry is received through police headquarters.

Methodist Episcopal Missionary Anniversary.

On Sunday last the M. E. Sunday School of Bloomsburg held its missionary anniversary. As usual it was made a gala day for the little ones and was much enjoyed by all present. An appropriate program had been arranged for the occasion which was rendered throughout in a creditable manner to the participants. Addresses appropriate to the occasion were made by President M. I. Low, of Lime Ridge, and Mayor S. C. Creasy, of Bloomsburg, these gentlemen being both zealous workers in the moral vineyard. The offering for the occasion amounted to $114, while the total missionary offering for the year footed up to $463.44. The missionary society is certainly under an efficient board of management. The following named gentlemen now constitute the board: President, Myron I. Low; Vice President, Dr. M. J. Hess; Secretary, Edward Searles; Treasurer, W. C. Richart.

Irregular Returns from Centralia.

A case of complicated election returns from Centralia was brought to the county seat for settlement this week. In electing a Poor Director, as we are informed, the tally sheet showed one man to be elected, while the certificate of election was issued to his opponent by the board of election. Barney Doyle was here, and so was the opposition interested in the case. An altercation ensued in the bar-room of the Exchange Hotel between the opposing parties, during which a revolver was presented in the face of Barney; but having seen the like before Doyle reached around somehow and floored his opponent before he pulled the trigger on him. We are told that Barney claims the certificate is all right and that the tally-sheet was tampered with; while the claim, on the other hand, is that the certificate is a mistake, and that the tally-list is right. The court will no doubt determine the matter.

The Uncertainty of Life.

On Friday night, the 22d of February, Mrs. Oliver Kahler, while pleasantly conversing with a few friends at the Sanitarium suddenly fell unconscious and then and there expired. She had attained the age of 62 years, and appeared to be of more than ordinary strength and vitality. Her sudden death is, no doubt the more keenly felt by her surviving children.

THE APPEAL CASE SETTLED.

The appeal of the county commissioners from the auditors' settlement of last year, was settled on Monday, by agreement, by ex-treasurer John L. Kline paying the county $1600. This we understand is in addition to the $1000 with which the auditors surcharged him.

The new liquor store of J. R. Fowler & Co. on Centre street, in the Opera House block, is now open and ready for business. The services of James Hendershott, for many years the popular clerk at the Exchange Hotel, have been secured, and the room has been newly papered and painted. An entirely new stock of all kinds of liquors has been purchased, and the new firm asks a fair share of patronage in their line.

THE ENCORE.

The encore has its uses as well as its abuses. It is properly used to encourage the efforts of children at public recitation or declamation, especially when successful. It is in place, too, as a recognition and appreciation of any more than ordinary meritorious public performance, and is at the same time an exponent of the culture and taste of the audience—an index of their intelligence. The encores or their omissions indicate the calibre of an audience. An uncultured, illiterate audience enjoys the sensual, the low, and by the encore encourages it. Is it anything short of an insult to people of even only moderate intelligence and culture to be bored, time after time, during the same evening, with repetitions of inferior performances called for by sappy young men, women and children? In England the remedy is to hiss the greenies; why would not the same medicine effect a cure here? Is the foregoing plain enough to be understood? P.

[If not, we would suggest that the hisses are often times more deserved by the "sappy young men" then by the performers who are the victims of their guys.]—ED.

Bitten by a Mad Dog.

A highly respected farmer, named Theodore Swank, who lives near Union Corners, Northumberland County, was recently bitten by a mad dog while he was on the wood-pile with an axe in his hand. Being a merciful man, and having no idea that the dog was mad, he undertook to change the animal's direction by waving his gloved hand towards him as he was about to pass when the dog caught it biting through the glove into his thumb and making it bleed quite freely. The dog then turned and ran. He was afterward seen to bite a cow, and was found dead the next day about a mile and a half from Mr. Swank's house. Though the neighbors insisted the dog was mad Mr. Swank was at first not inclined to think so, but the preponderance of evidence was against his theory. He finally consented to accept the liberal donation of $225 which was kindly raised by neighbors and friends in order that he might go to the Pasteur Institute, in New York, for treatment in case it become necessary. No symptoms of hydrophobia have as yet been felt by Mr. Swank, and though the dog was no doubt mad some hope of his escape is entertained by the fact that his heavy buckskin glove may have absorbed the poisonous viru which would otherwise have entered his flesh. The case will be watched with interest by all, but more particularly by the wife and immediate relatives of Mr. Swank.

Resolutions of Condolence.

Elizabeth I. Appleman died February 11th, 1895 aged 44 yrs. 4 months and 27 days.

These resolutions were adopted by Kitchen's Sunday School.

WHEREAS, it has pleased our Heavenly Father to call from our midst our beloved sister and co-worker in the church and Sunday School, Mrs. Elizabeth I. Appleman, therefore be it

Resolved: That our Sunday School has lost a faithful member, and her family a loving wife and mother.

Resolved: That we bow in submission to Him who in all things ruleth aright, remembering that He garners the ripest of the grain and that our loss is her gain.

Resolved: That the grief stricken family have our warmest sympathy, feeling that their loss is also ours, and reminding them that the God they love is "too wise too err and too kind to be unjust."

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be printed in the COLUMBIAN, the *Republican* and *Millville Tablet*, and a copy be given to the family of the deceased.

Com. { MRS. THOMAS KESTER, MRS. SYLVESTER KITCHEN, MRS. JOHN FISHER.

In a very gentlemanly way we have been asked to explain our ironical expression of last week concerning the "unsavory political affiliations" of the successful candidates who, like the writer, have sometimes presumed to vote the prohibition ticket. Accordingly we beg to amend the expression by advisedly saying "unpopular," instead of "unsavory," prohibitionists. We regret to fine that irony will not always suit as a mode of expression; but if righteous effort, whether political or moral, don't cease until the COLUMBIAN deliberately sprags its wheels, it will be apt to go on from one degree of grace to another.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The Sunday Schools of Wyoming Classis of the Reformed church in the United States will hold a convention in Trinity Reformed church, Bloomsburg, Thursday and Friday, March 7th and 8th. A large number of delegates from abroad is expected to be present, and a cordial invitation is given the public to attend. The following is the program in full:

Thursday, 10 A. M.—Devotional services, Rev. C. H. Herbst; Calling the roll of delegates, Rev. C. H. Brandt; Address, "The object of this convention," Rev. W. D. Donat; Address, "The advantage of local Sunday School conventions," Rev. Geo. S. Sorber; Discussion, opened by Rev. F. H. Ruloff. Closing services.

Thursday, 2 P. M.—Devotional services, Rev. E. H. Dieftenbacher; Address, "The Work of the Sunday School in the training of the children for the church," Rev. A. Houtz; Discussion, opened by Rev. C. P. Kehl; Address, "The Sunday School teacher's influence," Rev. Kerchner; Discussion, opened by Elder M. F. Koenig; Address, "The relation of the pastor to the Sunday School," Rev. Aaron Noll; Discussion, opened by Elder Wm. H. Balliet; Collection; Question box, Rev. W. H. Stubblebine. Closing services.

Thursday, 7:30 P. M.—Devotional services, Rev. C. W. E. Siegle; Address, "The advantage the Sunday School affords for the cultivation of the spirit of Benevolence," Rev. D. W. Ebbert; Address, "Our motto: All the Church in the Sunday School. All the Sunday School in the Church. All for Christ," Rev. Rufus W. Miller, General S. S. Secretary; Collection. Closing services.

Friday, 9:30 A. M.—Devotional services, Rev. F. H. Fisher; Address, "What relation should the consistory sustain to the Sunday School?" Rev. D. E. Schoedler; Discussion, opened by Rev. S. C. Meckel; Address, "How should the festive days of the church be observed by the Sunday School?" Rev. C. B. Alspach; Discussion, opened by Rev. A. M. Masonheimer; Collection; Question box, Rev. H. A. I. Benner; Business. Closing services.

It is desired that every minister of Classis be in attendance at this convention, and that each Sunday School send at least two delegates. Pastors and superintendents will please see to this.

Free entertainment will be provided for all; and those who intend to come are requested to notify A. N. Yost, Esq., chairman of the Local Committee, not less than ten days before the convention.

Pastors and delegates immediately upon their arrival will report at the church, corner Third and Iron streets.

With the exception of the addresses on Thursday evening, the addresses will be limited to fifteen minutes, and the discussions to five minutes.

For further particulars, address Rev. C. H. Brandt, Sec. of the Classical Com., Bloomsburg, Pa.

Classical committee.—Rev. W. D. Donat, Rev. C. H. Brandt, Rev. A. Houtz.

Local committee.—A. N. Yost, Esq., C. S. Fornwald, O. W. Cherrington, Mrs. Fred Ikeler, Mrs. W. H. Snyder.

Death.

On Tuesday morning at 5:30 A. M., Mrs. Dr. Harder died at her home in Bloomsburg. Her husband being dead, she is survived by five children, namely, Charles, of New Jersey, William and Mrs. Miller of Nanticoke, George of this place, and Fred, who is now at Girard College. Interment at Rosemont Cemetery on Thursday afternoon, Rev. I. M. Patterson, of the Presbyterian church, officiating.

Drs. McReynolds, Arment, Bruner, Reber and Brown, Steck, Montgomery, Wintersteen, Hower and Christian, assembled in annual session, in Bloomsburg, on the 26th of February, as representatives of the Columbia County Medical Society. At the close of the session the usual tempting repast was spread before the doctors by the affable proprietor of the Central Hotel.

Philip Collins died at his home in Ebensburg, Cambria county, last Saturday night, aged seventy-four years. He was well known here, and made his home here while engaged with his brother Thomas and Col. Jameson in constructing the North and West branch railroad.

Dr. Buchanan the poisoner presents such a handsome physiognomy that it is hard to reconcile it with his dastardly acts. According to evidence revealed through his trial he married a leud woman, secured her property, and then poisoned her.

BRIEF MENTION.

About People You Know.

We notice that Editor Brown has returned from his trip to Florida.

Miss Nora Appleman is still on the sick-list, we regret to report.

Mrs. M. E. Creasy, is entertaining Mrs. Jacob Schlager, of Binghamton, New York.

Mariah Reiswick paid Mrs. A. L. Heacock, of Millville, a recent visit.

J. C. Rutter Jr. and family have moved into their new home on Iron street.

Dr. William McKelvy and family are expected to visit Bloomsburg soon.

Hon. E. M. Tewksbury is slowly recovering from his long illness.

Hon. A. L. Fritz spent part of last week in Philadelphia, serving on a legislative investigation committee.

J. C. Wenner and his brother David transacted business in Bloomsburg on Saturday.

G. M. Lemon and brother, of Wellversville, were among our business callers this week.

Miss Bertha Shoemaker is entertaining her cousin, Miss Laura Parker, of Rhorsburg.

Dr. J. Stuart Kirby and Mr. Butler, of Mauch Chunk, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wells this week.

Peter Billmyer took a recent trip to Lime Stone, the occasion for the journey being the death of J. F. Gauger, his brother-in-law.

Judge and Mrs. Ikeler attended the reception given by Governor and Mrs. Hastings on Tuesday evening, Feb. 26th.

Joshua Fetterman knows nothing about the boils of Job, but he is now prepared to give some points on carbuncles.

Rev. D. A. Artman, of Light Street, was among our respected and welcome callers this week.

Miss Cora Miller, compositor on THE COLUMBIAN, we regret to report as also on the sick list this week.

Mrs. R. C. Neal, of Harrisburg, is spending a few days at her mother's, Mrs. M. H. Clark.

Mrs. Freas Brown returned on Monday from Florida, where she has been for several weeks.

W. D. Beckley, Esq. is spending a few weeks at the Sanitarium at Dansville, N. Y. for his health.

J. J. Brower was called to Douglasville to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Matilda Jones, who died last Sunday, aged seventy-nine years.

William S. Smith, of Montandon, was in town on Wednesday and took out letters of administration on the estate of his father, A. K. Smith, late of Jerseytown.

Rev. W. T. Auman, formerly of Bloomsburg, now of White Haven, was recently ordained priest in the P. E. Church. He has been in deacon's orders for several years.

Miss Laura Heffner, of Centralia, rated highest at the examination for permanent certificate which was held at the High School building on Saturday.

Sanderson Woods, though somewhat bleached from recent confinement, we are pleased to report as again up and about town.

The editor of this paper spent a couple of days in Towanda this week, and is engaged in the preparation of two cases in the Supreme Court from Sullivan county, which will be argued in March.

Mrs. John Jones, of Berwick, having come to Bloomsburg recently to visit among friends was so seriously taken with the grip as to make it necessary for her husband to come on to help her home on Friday.

G. W. Robinson, of Danville, came up last Friday to spend a few days with his friend Will L. Crist. On Saturday evening he was taken with a severe attack of pneumonia, but at this writing is able to sit up.

Mr Boyd Trescott, of Millville, was in town on business the latter part of the week. Mr. Trescott is among the more competent of school teachers. He was one of the board of examiners of the teachers seeking permanent certificate.

Mr. Coleman Lewis who had been identified with some of the largest mercantile establishments in Scranton has accepted a position with J. M. Gidding & Co., the Clothiers, and intends moving his family here.

Some of the Bloomsburg P. O. S. of A. visitors of the recent Berwick district convention spoke of the pure milky whiteness and the dryness of the drink offered. No fault whatever was found with the lunch; but they seemed to anticipate something stronger than milk to drink.

We find men to day committing suicide because of too much business as well as because of too little to do. Among the latest wealthy men to suicide is Mr. M. Michaels, of Corry, Pa. He took his life on Washington's birthday by hanging. It was the day set apart for the opening of a large hotel he had just finished.

The following letters are advertised February 26, 1895. Mr. F. H. Barker, Miss Alice Benton, Miss Maude Craig, Mr. Art Foulk, Mr. B. Frank Fox; Miss Fannie Lockwood, F. H. Lee, Miss Nora Musgrave, Mrs. Annie Thrie, E. P. Wame. Will be sent to the dead-letter office March 12, 1895.

JAMES H. MERCER, P. M.

HARRISBURG LETTER.

Important Measures Pending Before the Legislature.

OUR EDUCATIONAL INTERESTS.

The Compulsory Education Bill Nearing a Second Reading—The Insane Asylums Investigation—Wilkesbarre Citizens Oppose the County of Quay.

(Special Correspondence.)

HARRISBURG, Feb. 25.—This will be an eventful week at the state capital. The legislature reconvened this evening after a ten days' recess and will remain in session until Friday noon. The house will begin tomorrow to hold two sessions a day. Governor Hastings is expected to send to the senate during the week a number of important nominations. At the close of the session of the senate on Wednesday a testimonial in the shape of a magnificent solid silver service, valued at $1,000, will be presented to ex-Lieutenant Governor Watres, of Scranton, by his colleagues during the four years he served as its presiding officer. The presentation speech will be made by Senator McCarrell, of this city. Beginning tomorrow the house committee on ways and means will give hearings on the new revenue bill formulated by the state tax conference.

The bill providing for the publication of 25,000 copies of the famous "Bird Book" will be signed tomorrow by the presiding officers of the house and senate and then messaged to the governor for his action. A similar bill was vetoed two years ago by Governor Pattison on the ground that the book was unnecessary and should not be printed at the expense of the state. The committee to investigate the state institutions under the Focht resolution to ascertain how many of their inmates are aliens will also be announced during the week. The gossip at the capital is that a resolution will be offered in the senate tomorrow by Senator Kennedy, of Allegheny, or some other friend of Senator Quay for a committee to investigate the municipal affairs of Philadelphia.

Governor Hastings' Three Vetoes.

Governor Hastings set a wholesome example for the legislature during the recess by vetoing three bills, two of which created additional law judges, one in Washington and the other in Westmoreland county. The third bill to fall under the governor's veto ax relates to certain decrees of the registers of wills and of courts on appeal from the decrees of registers. The effect of this bill, if permitted to become a law, would be to make the decree of the register refusing to admit a will to probate final and conclusive upon all parties claiming under the will if unappealed from, and if appeal is taken from such decree, then the decree of the orphans' court is made final and conclusive. As to the other bills the governor says to allow them to become laws would in effect be permitting special legislation and render nugatory the mandate of the constitution regarding apportionment. He is satisfied, though, that the legislature will fairly consider and relieve the special needs of all the judicial districts.

The final reception of the season will be given tomorrow evening at the executive mansion by Governor and Mrs. Hastings. It will be the most brilliant ever seen at the state capital, and will be attended by many of the most distinguished personages in Pennsylvania.

A bill introduced in the house by Mr. Crothers, of Philadelphia, exempts leased sewing machines from levy and sale for arrears of rent. Another introduced by Mr. Harvey, of Luzerne, reduces the profits of pawnbrokers fully one-half. It limits the charge for interest on money advanced to 6 per cent. per annum, and for the storage of goods to 2 per cent. per month, which would make a net maximum charge of 2½ per cent. per month, instead of 5 and 6 per cent., as is now charged. Another bill pending in the house makes it unlawful for anybody to exhibit in public any human being afflicted with physical or mental deformity.

There are many important bills on the senate and house calendars relating to the educational interests of the commonwealth that will be considered during the week. Some are well advanced and are likely to reach the governor before the close of the month. Other bills of this character are under consideration by committee and will be disposed of during the week. In the senate a bill has passed finally requiring school directors and controllers to purchase out of the state appropriation American flags to be displayed on the school houses in their respective districts. The senate killed the bill increasing the minimum school term from six to seven months. The Farr compulsory education bill is on the calendar in the house for second reading and will be considered tomorrow unless the chairman of the education committee allows it to go over.

The Douthett School Book Bill.

The Douthett bill, providing for the purchase of books at publishers' prices, was read the first time in the house this evening. The school authorities of the state are earnestly opposed to the bill, and declare that if it becomes a law it will increase instead of diminish the price of books. They contend this is the case in Ohio, where such a law is in operation, and that books were never cheaper in Pennsylvania than under the present system. Six bills prescribing various methods of distributing the school appropriation are slumbering in the house committee on education.

The soldiers' orphans school commission is overwhelmed with applications for admission to the schools at Harford, Chester Springs and Uniontown. The schools are already overcrowded and the commission has on file over 300 applications, all of which have been investigated and found deserving. There will be no further admissions, unless the applicants are absolutely destitute, before the opening of the industrial school of Scotland.

During the recess the special committee appointed to investigate the management of the state hospitals for the insane at Norristown and Wernersville have been at work in Norristown. Thus far the committee has only examined the general account books of the institution, the payroll sheets and the time books of the various foremen. The committee will be at Norristown again on March 4 and resume the investigation with unabated vigor. Senator Gobin was very emphatic in denouncing the method of keeping the books.

Trustee Stinson, Boss Carpenter George Hall and Foreman of Laborers Charles H. West were examined. Chairman Gobin fired volleys of questions at the witnesses, but at times the assembled committeemen and trustees replied before those interrogated could get a chance to reply. Chairman Gobin held his witnesses down to the details of the system of bookkeeping and marking time. Several minor faults were disclosed.

The expenditure of special moneys was explained favorably to the management. One deal, the story of which does not appear on the books of the hospital, was the purchase of a farm of Susan W. Yerkes, which is now embraced within the hospital enclosures. The trustees in 1887 obtained an option to purchase the farm within five years. It was purchased in 1891. The consideration in the agreement was $3,500, and in the title $3,900 was given as the consideration money. Judge Stinson explained the difference by stating that $400 was expended for rental of the farm, which during the continuance or the agreement was in the trustee's care, and the incidental fee in recording. For convenience the entire cost of acquiring the farm was set down as consideration money.

"Account Books Not Comprehensive."

All of the trustees were present except Dr. Thomas, of Quakertown. Treasurer of the Board of Trustees Bradley was represented by his private secretary, W. T. Wilson. The treasurer's account book showed the receipt of $484.50 of the unexpended appropriations for 1891, remitted to Treasurer Bradley by Trustee Stinson and the subsequent return of the money to the state treasury. In the language of Senator Gobin "the account books at the hospital were not comprehensive enough for the subject."

The examination of Boss Carpenter Hall and Foreman of Laborers West was confined to selecting names at random from the payrolls and having the witnesses read from their time books the hours of employment made by these selections. In two or three cases it was found that some men were credited with more than there are working days in the month. One man was credited with thirty-four and one-half days and another with thirty-six days in the month of December, 1891. In defense it was stated that the workmen probably were employed overtime. Senator Meredith tallied the times as given by the witnesses for comparison with the tally sheets.

Today the committee went to the Wernersville state hospital to look further into the charge of alleged cruelty to the several persons returned to Norristown. Its labors there will be concluded in one day.

Senator Penrose spent Saturday at Washington in consultation with United States Senator Quay. In political circles it is believed that upon the result of the visit hangs the fate of the proposed legislative investigation into the workings of the Bullitt bill so far as Philadelphia is concerned.

The admittedly strained relations between Colonel Quay and his erstwhile faithful lieutenant, David Martin, have not been forgotten amid the jubilation incident to the announcement of 60,000 majority for Warwick, in Philadelphia, and all the politicians are anxiously waiting to see what will be the next move on the part of the Quay forces. The fact that the ardent followers of Senator Penrose turned in manfully for the Republican ticket does not mean that they have forgiven the men who so ruthlessly nipped Penrose's mayoralty aspirations. They are waiting to hear from Magistrate Durham, their acknowledged leader, and they admit that they are ready and willing to engage in a battle for supremacy in the party organization, but at the same time say that the battle must be fought within the party lines.

Opposing the County of Quay.

The members of the board of trade of Wilkesbarre held a meeting Saturday to complete plans for fighting the proposed division of Luzerne county to form the county of Quay, and it was decided to send a large delegation of citizens to this city next Wednesday to appear before the house committee on new counties.

There was a general discussion on the arguments on the county division. One of the chief is the fact that of the 7,000 taxables in Hazle only about 700 are owners of property, and in Foster only about 450 out of 2,400. The lands in both townships are held principally for mining purposes, and are otherwise valueless. The assessment of all the lands in Hazle is considerably short of $1,000,000, and $875,000 of this is returned against the owners of the minerals. The other ownerships are simply workingmen's homes, some 600 odd in number, covering all told only about 175 acres of the 30,000 in the township, and their aggregate taxable valuation barely reaches $80,000, an average of about $115 to each stockholder.

In Foster the situation is similar. The mineral interests own the great bulk of the lands, with scattered holdings about collieries for the unpretentious dwellings of the miners and laborers. The exact figures for 1894 are: Taxables, 2,340; real estate owners, 463: occupations, only 1,877; exonerations, 1,153. The resident property holders in these two townships only number about one-tenth of the whole number of taxables, the other nine-tenths being assessed on occupations only. This shifts the burden of maintaining the new county almost exclusively upon property holders.

The voters in these two townships, Hazle and Foster, outnumber the combined voting strength in all the agricultural township within the new county district, both east and west of the Susquehanna, counting all the way round from the farther end of Buck to the remotest corners of Fairmount and Lake. And under the bill as passed the senate they are empowered to reach out and take into Hazle any or all of these townships.

Protesting Property Owners.

The residents and property owners there are practically remedyless if the bill becomes a law. This is the ground of opposition by the protesting property owners, who seek help from Wilkesbarre and the rest of the country generally in saving them from the disasters which the new county prospect entails.

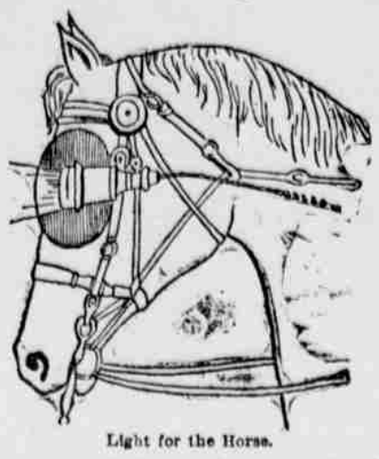
As a business operation the retention of this section is a matter of prudence and economy. The townships east of the Susquehanna, which the new countyites allege is all they have their eyes on, turn into the county treasury about $35,000 in taxes. They draw out about $25,000 in costs of assessments, elections, jury and court expenses, etc., so that their staying in Luzerne county gives $10,000 a year to the good on the financial side. And their retention will be a great saving to them over the cost of a separate county management.

There are eight counties in the state of about the same population as the new county will be. Their county expenses run from $50,000 to $124,000, and the average of the whole eight is over $76,000 a year, and for no better service, conveniences and management than this new county district now gets for about $35,000. These are the main arguments that will be made, and the board of trade hopes to succeed in beating Kline and his Quay county supporters. A delegation of over 200 is expected here tomorrow. W.

NEW IDEAS FOR HORSEMEN.

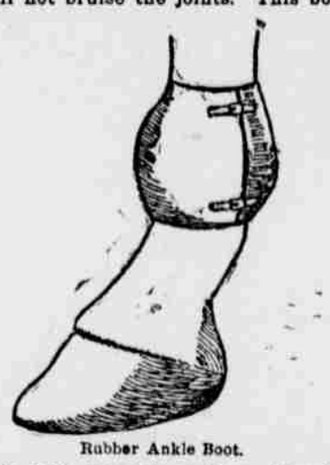
Night Lights on Headstalls—A Rubber Ankle Boot.

Electricity has achieved many triumphs, and one of its latest adaptations is in the form of a glow lamp to be attached to a horse's headstall, for lighting roads at night. In Berlin the use of these glow lamps on horses is so common as to no longer attract attention, and they are being introduced in this country. A common adaptation of the idea is shown in the cut presented herewith. The lamp is inclosed in a silvered reflector, and is fed from a small battery of accumulators carried in the vehicle. No doubt in time an electric battery will be carried by every vehicle that travels country roads at night.



Light for the Horse.

A rubber ankle boot, as shown below, is being introduced as a novelty by a Cleveland rubber firm. It is made in the form of a cushion around the ankle, so that the horse when striking will not bruise the joints. This boot,



Rubber Ankle Boot.

it is said, prevents cutting, chapping and scalding, and is lighter than the leather boots, and will outwear the same. It can be worn on either ankle; is always in place and shape, and is not affected by dust, mud or snow.

THE POULTRY YARD.

One of the most highly-relished foods for poultry is the sweepings from the hay loft. The hens will not only utilize the seeds but will consume the dry leaves of clover also.

A damp roosting place is an abomination, and yet fowls prefer a wet roost free from lice to a dry one covered with vermin which sap their blood and strength. This will explain why some people's chickens prefer to roost on trees.

Hens kept in comparatively small numbers can be made to pay, and do pay, says George Q. Dow, in the Country Gentleman, as a rule, a fairly good profit, but not enough to excite any one. Neither is it as large as one can obtain from many other occupations, such as berry growing or keeping sheep. If it were so profitable as these hen-cranks would have us believe, would it not stand to reason that farmers all over the country, with their usual perspicuity, would have long since discovered the fact, and one and all have become largely engaged in the business? To sum it all up in a few words—hens pay a fair profit when kept in limited numbers. In large numbers they do not pay, and are frequently a source of loss.

If the poultrymen would charge less for their poultry and eggs, they would in the end make more money and sell more stock. A setting of eggs will cost a farmer from $3 to $6, and a pair of chickens $5 to $10, after express is paid. Many farmers want to make a change get new blood into their flocks or start out entirely with new stock, but do not feel able to pay such prices. They know that the flock is liable to roup and cholera; then if they come to sell their chickens to hucksters for five to six cents per pound, what do they come to? The only way a farmer can come out ahead, is to sell eggs, and lots of them, at a good price.—Edwin Wing.

With a lot of hens consisting of from twenty-five to possibly 200, and the proper buildings and facilities for caring for them in an economical way, and a close attention paid them if as many as 200 are kept, one is able to secure a fair profit; but when he attempts to keep 1,000 or more, he will find it a very different story, and with the latter number is almost sure to lose money. Small lots pay the best—the farmers have long since found this out, and that is why we find on most farms flocks of from a dozen to fifty hens. These farmers know better than all these flashy writers can tell them, that their small flocks pay, and that to go beyond that and increase their number to any great extent is hazardous.—George Q. Dow.

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Pork, whole, per pound	.07 to .08
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Wheat per bushel	.70
Oats " "	.45
Rye " "	.65
Wheat flour per bbl	2.85
Hay per ton	14 00 to 16.00
Potatoes per bushel,	.75
Turnips " "	.25
Onions " "	1.00
Sweet potatoes per peck	.25 to .30
Tallow per lb	.04
Shoulder " "	.10
Side meat " "	.10
Vinegar, per qt	.07
Dried apples per lb	.05
Dried cherries, pitted	.12
Raspberries	.14
Cow Hides per lb	.03
Steer " " "	.02
Calf Skin	.40 to .50
Sheep pelts	.60
Shelled corn per bus	.75
Corn meal, cwt	2.00
Bran, "	1.10
Chop "	1.25
Middlings "	1.10
Chickens per lb new	.10
" " " old	.10
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FROM JANUARY 1, 1894, TO JANUARY 1, 1895.

DISTRICTS.	ASSESSED 1894.			STILL DUE 1894.			COUNTY, 1894.				DOG, 1894.			STATE, 1894.	COUNTY, 1893.			DOG, 1893		STATE, 1893.		State, 1889
	County.	Dog.	State.	County.	Dog.	State.	Com.	Dis.	Ex.	Returns.	Com.	Dis.	Ex.	Com. Dis.	Com.	Ex.	Return.	Com.	Ex.	Com.	Ex.	Ex.
Beaver	$ 1029 14	$ 83 50	$ 3 63	$ 393 60	$ 35 00	$ 43	$ 21 03	$ 21 13	.....	.....	$ 1 92	$ 1 17	.....	$ 1 24 $ 76	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Benton	1292 89	102 00	*84 68	412 82	46 67	27 68	24 93	31 00	.....	.....	1 96	1 98	.....	1 63 2 85	.....	$ 15 88	$ 3 51	.....	$ 3 50	.....	.....	.....
Berwick	3905 71	58 00	396 07	636 37	83 00	15 80	53 09	108 76	.....	.....	84	95	.....	10 87 18 92	$ 4 47	.....	.....	$ 33	.....	$ 07	.....	.....
Bloom	6981 42	172 50	1355 27	2580 13	133 50	66 00	119 67	170 39	.....	.....	1 42	1 23	.....	29 69 56 07	18 10	.....	.....	1 00	.....	7 25	.....	.....
Briarcreek	1629 54	79 00	297 65	780 82	29 50	3 20	16 15	42 50	.....	.....	1 43	2 00	.....	7 52 13 19	.....	31 80	.....	.....	2 50	.....	$ 4 99	.....
Catawissa Twp.	550 78	44 50	12 80	89 39	23 00	.....	21 35	9 82	.....	.....	77	48	.....	64	7 50	2 3	82	17	2 50	40	.....	.....
Catawissa Boro	1789 53	57 50	372 13	326 68	29 00	1 00	39 78	54 13	.....	.....	1 04	63	.....	8 51 16 21	.....	18 36	.....	.....	2 50	.....	.....	$ 7 68
Centralia	1477 30	50 00	441 15	649 20	39 16	.....	15 47	40 71	.....	.....	30	54	.....	13 35 23 44	.....	74 74	1 94	.....	9 50	.....	.....	.....
Centre	2289 36	86 00	93 93	439 47	6 00	.....	35 15	92 50	.....	.....	2 28	4 00	.....	2 73 4 80	3 00	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cleveland	859 04	65 00	54 27	336 66	35 34	9 64	18 87	17 00	.....	.....	1 11	90	.....	1 37 2 08	3 01	1 20	4 40	10	2 50	.....	.....	.....
Conyngham	2304 14	19 50	39 40	452 68	19 50	9 40	41 16	108 27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60 1 45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fishingcreek	1589 01	84 00	189 83	564 54	41 00	16 87	36 25	24 18	.....	.....	1 69	1 05	.....	3 89 4 20	.....	6 83	4 07	.....	1 00	.....	1 29	.....
Franklin	746 96	47 50	52 18	155 76	9 69	.....	20 49	21 07	.....	.....	1 33	1 31	.....	1 70 1 85	.....	2 09	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....
Greenwood	1366 57	93 50	122 14	403 23	47 00	1 83	30 23	29 01	.....	.....	1 81	1 30	.....	3 97 4 76	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hemlock	1434 80	64 00	25 08	.....	.....	.....	38 55	56 39	$ 4 53	$ 1 05	2 34	1 63	$ 3 00	86 1 09	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jackson	425 11	47 00	73 22	261 78	36 50	4 66	5 74	5 45	.....	.....	.....	30	83	.....	1 93	3 43	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Locust	1162 58	73 00	170 48	219 10	22 50	17 86	27 83	31 71	.....	.....	1 87	1 53	.....	4 44 7 42	.....	2 58	32	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....
Madison	1456 63	75 50	135 77	339 63	50 00	12 77	33 00	36 85	.....	.....	.....	88	73	4 00 5 00	.....	3 93	3 21	.....	2 50	.....	.....	.....
Main	874 75	53 50	129 63	270 38	19 58	32 77	20 73	32 45	.....	.....	1 15	1 27	.....	2 79 4 78	1 61	60	.....	10	1 50	14	.....	.....
Mifflin	1390 84	95 00	198 56	448 53	51 50	21 63	30 99	26 15	.....	.....	1 71	1 10	.....	2 93 3 90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Millville	476 97	19 50	376 30	66 17	11 00	76	15 51	12 22	.....	.....	33	16	.....	10 77 18 59	2 63	3 38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Montour	1121 46	44 50	67 20	530 95	24 00	2 60	11 22	29 53	.....	.....	59	1 03	.....	1 84 3 23	4 68	2 42	50	18	50	01	.....	.....
Mt. Pleasant	853 63	63 00	76 04	197 94	27 00	1 10	24 41	19 77	.....	.....	1 39	98	.....	2 44 3 14	.....	1 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Orange	1333 39	56 50	260 09	245 61	17 50	16	31 92	39 53	.....	.....	1 35	98	.....	5 06 12 80	.....	4 74	2 23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pine	570 48	53 00	38 25	292 05	35 62	10 57	11 51	6 43	.....	.....	61	35	.....	68 47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Roaringcreek	1528 26	41 00	103 81	.....	.....	.....	16 48	28 91	42	.....	1 16	2 05	.....	2 93 5 19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Scott	1932 91	87 00	224 18	468 62	50 87	17 58	43 69	47 65	.....	.....	1 18	1 17	.....	4 28 9 75	.....	8 89	5 00	.....	1 50	.....	4 00	.....
Sugarloaf	692 97	81 00	18 84	356 87	45 00	3 84	12 61	8 81	.....	.....	1 53	65	.....	43 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
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Sixty Day List	100 24																					
	$41616 43																					

AMOUNTS DUE FROM COLLECTORS PREVIOUS TO 1894.

DISTRICT.	YEAR.	COLLECTOR.	COUNTY.	DOG.	STATE.
Catawissa	1889	J. R Bibby		$ 25 00	
Conyngham	1890	W. H. Reinbold	$ 104 34	44 70	$ 1 18
Centre	1890	I. J. Hess	9 10	9 50	
Centralia	1891	Thomas Liddicoat	74 24	17 10	
Berwick	1892	John B. Lockard	74 82	11 00	
Conyngham	1892	Charles Weideman	302 15	34 50	6 80
Millville Boro	1892	W. B. German	9 11	2 50	8 78
Beaver	1893	Simon Rittenhouse	239 38	36 00	2 54
Berwick	1893	John B. Lockard	253 29	25 50	138 07
Bloom	1893	M. C. Woodward	1465 16	62 50	393 88
Centre	1893	W. E. Creasy	311 98	29 09	
Cleveland	1893	N. A. Yocum	6 00		
Conyngham	1893	Jacob Brenner	318 02	38 00	
Greenwood	1893	Gotlieb Hartman	102 24	10 00	28
Locust	1893	L. H. Daniels	54 95		
Main	1893	A. W. Shuman	10 52	16 50	02
Millville Boro	1893	J. M. Rote		1 00	
Mifflin	1893	W. B. Goodhart	68 03	23 99	1 60
Pine	1893	T. R. Everett	58 14	7 50	11 91
Sugarloaf	1893	James M. Shultz	39 18	38 75	10 70
			$3580 88	$498 59	$375 76
			80 23	65 55	
			$3500 65	$433 04	$375 76

The balance due on duplicates of R. Harris, collector of Bloom for 1880 are stricken off because they are uncollectable.

LICENSE ACCOUNT.

DISTRICTS.	SHERIFF'S SHARE.	TREAS. COM.	COUNTY SHARE.	TREAS. COM.	AUDITORS' FOR'T.	WHO DREW TWP. SHARE.
Beaver	57 00	3 00	14 25	75	75 00	Henry Eckroat.
Benton	171 00	9 00	42 75	2 25	225 00	J. L. C. Kline.
Berwick, Hotels	342 00	18 00	85 50	4 50	450 00	S.C.Jayne for 1st. Nat B'k Berwick
Berwick, Restaurants	342 00	18 00	85 50	4 50	450 00	" " " " " " "
Bloom, Hotels	684 00	36 00	171 00	9 00	900 00	J. H. Maize.
Bloom, Restaurants	456 00	24 00	114 00	6 00	600 00	J. H. Maize.
Briarcreek	57 00	3 00	14 25	75	75 00	Adam Sult.
Catawissa Twp.	57 00	3 00	14 25	75	75 00	Jerre Yeager.
Catawissa Boro., Hotels	342 00	18 00	85 50	4 50	450 00	J. R. Deemer.
Catawissa Boro., Rest	228 00	12 00	57 00	3 00	300 00	J. R. Deemer.
Centralia Hotels	798 00	42 00	199 50	10 00	1050 00	Geo. W. Troutman.
Centralia, Restaurants	1148 00	52 00	285 00	15 00	1500 00	Geo. W. Troutman.
Conyngham, Hotels	228 00	12 00	57 00	3 00	300 00	W. A. Marr, Atty.
Conyngham, Restaurants	114 00	6 00	28 50	1 50	150 00	W. A. Marr, Atty.
Greenwood	114 00	6 00	28 50	1 50	150 00	J. Trivelpiece and C. F. Robbins.
Hemlock	57 00	3 00	14 25	75	75 00	Reuben Werkheiser.
Locust	114 00	6 00	28 50	1 50	150 00	David Heiwig.
Madison	114 00	6 00	28 50	1 50	150 00	Cyrus Hartline.
Main	114 00	6 00	28 50	1 50	150 00	J. J. Gearhart.
Mifflin	57 00	3 00	14 25	75	75 00	U. Spade and W. P. Hetler.
Montour	57 00	3 00	14 25	75	75 00	Francis Leiby.
Orange	114 00	6 00	28 50	1 50	150 00	C. Hutton, A. C. Auchenbach.
Pine	57 00	3 00	14 25	75	75 00	Davis Gardner.
Scott	114 00	6 00	28 50	1 50	150 00	Lloyd Sterling, Wilson Wanich.
Sugarloaf, Hotel	285 00	15 00	71 25	3 75	375 00	G. Hess and J. B. Davis.
Sugarloaf, Restaurants	57 00	3 00	14 25		75 00	G. Hess and J. B. Davis.
Total	6278 00	322 00	1567 50	82 50	$8250 00	

J. R. FOWLER, County Treasurer, in account with Columbia County.

Jan. 1, 1895. DR.		
To amt. rec'd on county tax on dups. 1892	$ 78 24	
To amt. rec'd on dog tax on dups. 1892	15 00	
To amt. rec'd on state tax on dups. 1892	11 26	$ 104 50
To amt. rec'd on county tax on dups. 1893	$ 4552 39	
To amt. rec'd on dog tax on dups. 1893	538 68	
To amt. rec'd on state tax on dups. 1893	303 53	5394 60
To amt. rec'd on county tax on dups. 1894	$ 27931 31	
To amt. rec'd on dog tax on dups. 1894	906 78	
To amt. rec'd on state tax on dups. 1894	4604 13	33442 22
Total amt. rec'd on dups		$ 38941 32
To amt. col. on seated lands	$ 1524 94	
To amt. col. on unseated lands	2468 81	3993 15
To amt. due county from hotel and restaurant licenses	$1650 00	
Less Treas. commiss'n of 5 per cent.	82 50	$ 1567 50 1567 50
Commission on hotel and restaurant licenses retained by the Treas. subject to the decision of the appeal now pending.		
To amt. of redemption money rec'd on deeds held by commissioners	$ 101 32	
To amt. rec'd from miscellaneous sources	463 32	564 64
To amt. rec'd from sale of Co. bonds	$146000 00	146000 00
		$191066 61

CR.		
By amt. paid state personal tax	$ 5191 50	
By com. to Treas.	52 43	$ 5243 93
By amt. sheep orders redeemed	568 00	
By com. to Treas. at 4 per cent	22 72	590 72
By amt. Co. orders redeemed, current expenses	45564 43	
By com. to Treas. at 4 per cent	1822 57	47387 00
By amt. Co. orders for Catawissa and Bloomsburg river bridges and $14500 bonds redeemed	110961 39	
By com. to Treas. at 1¾ per cent	1941 82	112903 21
By amt. to bal		24941 75 191066 61

DR.		
To bal. in hands Treas.	$24941 75	$24941 75

J. R. FOWLER, Treas., in acct. with State.

Wholesale liquor, bottlers, mercantile and billiard licenses.

DR.		
To amt. wholesale liquor license	$ 600 00	
To amt. mercantile license	2278 50	
To amt. brewers and distillers	600 00	
To amt. billiard and pool tables	310 00	
To amt. bottlers	300 00	$4088 50
CR.		
By wholesale liquor paid State	$ 570 00	
By com. to Treas.	30 00	$600 00
By amt. mercantile paid State	2217 11	
By com. to Treas.	61 39	2278 50
By amt. brewers and distillers paid State	570 00	
By com. to Treas.	30 00	600 00
By amt. billiard and pool tables paid State	294 50	
By com. to Treas.	15 50	310 00
By amt. bottlers pd. State	285 00	
By com. to Treas.	15 00	300 00 4088 50

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Commissioners' expenses for which orders were issued on the County Treasurer.

Fred. Ikeler, Atty, division Conyngham north		$ 25 00
S. D. Neyhard, et.al., div. Cony'm north		62 00
C. F. Knapp, insurance, court house $252.00, jail stable $4.50		256 50
I. Hagenbuch et. al. moving election booths, putting up and taking down and taking care same		38 00
John Mourey, sheriff, taking prisoners to Huntingdon Reformatory		155 80
John Mourey, sheriff, taking prisoners to Eastern Penitentiary		142 00
Catawissa Bridge Co., insurance policies of river bridge transferred to county		150 00
C. H. Campbell, recording bonds and oaths of Commissioners and Treas		9 00
C. H. Campbell, reporting mortgages, &c		47 90
J. G Swank, taking James Sullivan, a pauper, to Bath, N. Y		22 90
J. D. McHenry et. al., care and keeping James Sullivan		70 55
I. E Patterson, M. D., professional services, James Sullivan		38 90
Grant Herring, atty, case J. D. Bodine vs. Col. Co		503 06
G. M. Quick, et. al., costs J. D. Bodine vs. Col. Co		78 18
G. M. Ikeler, expense sending Pauline Zimmerman, a pauper, to Germany		88 32
J. M. Larish, care and keeping Pauline Zimmerman		37 00
Bloom Poor District, support and costs Harry Washington, a pauper		59 66
J. G. Swank, expense sending Charles C. Gallagher, a pauper, to Virginia		20 50
H. C. Laubach, O. S. P., Berwick, boarding and medical attendance Charles C. Gallagher, a pauper		75 60
O. S. Poor Montour twp., medical attendance and keeping Felix McDermot, a pauper		126 53
John M Clark, auditing public accounts for 1893		25 00
W. H. Rhawn, Atty, changing polling place, Cleveland		10 00
Robert C. Howell damage to horse at Shaffer bridge; 1893		105 93
Central Penna. Telephone Co		49 15
G. M. Quick, reporting judgments, &c		164 10
C. B. Ent, reporting mortgages, &c		28 10
Grant Herring, atty, div. Fishingcreek		25 00
P. S. Harman et. al., comm'rs, division Fishingcreek		26 35
G. M. Quick, costs, div. Fishingcreek		5 00
Grant Herring, atty, division Pine		25 00
C. L Sands et. al., comm'rs, div. Pine		19 20
G. M. Quick, costs, div. Pine		5 00
G. M. Quick, recording twp. officers		43 90
E. K Myers, nomination blanks		15 00
Ira T Clement ballot box		3 30
E. H. Werner, fac simile signature commissioners		4 50
T. C. Wilson, use of private road while repairing Mordansville bridge, 1893		5 00
W. C Johnston, teachers' institute, '93 and '94		400 00
J. C. Rutter administering oaths		9 18
John m. Clark, administering oaths		3 75
Mattie Coffman, making booth curtains		1 00
G. M. Quick, certifying com. cases		99 70
Creasy & Wells, booth shelf		25
A C. Hidlay, horse hire		4 00
Buckalew Bros., horse hire		15 00
J. E. Welliver, division of Centre		3 50
Geo. Aurand, hauling prisoners to and from jail		15 00
Adams Express Co. et. al., expressage and freight		20 14
Jacob Keller, wrapping paper		1 83
E. J. Brown, sprinkling		12 50
C. M. Terwilliger, expenses two times to Wilkes-Barre to order books, &c		4 50
J. H. Maize, insurance, jail stable		7 50
Harry Brink, hauling rubbish		25
John S. Williams, selling timber, river bridge		2 50
S. Neyhard, hauling timber from river		7 00
Commissioners and clerk attending Commissioners' Convention		29 60
Alinas Cole, redemption money		17 24
G. E. Elwell, ballots special election Berwick Boro., money afterward refunded to county by Boro		7 50
D. R. Coffman, Congressional return judge		8 20
Frank Ikeler, Senatorial return judge		5 40
J. G. Freeze et. al., int. on overdue Co. bonds redeemed		446 11
J. B. Delong et. al., Int. on outstanding notes redeemed		78 50
J. R. Fowler, Treas., Int. on outstanding order No. 729 for $5940 in favor Joseph Hendler		144 54
J. R. Fowler, Treas., deeds to Comm'rs.		172 92
J. R. Fowler, Treas., int. coupons on county bonds		140 00
J. R. Fowler, Treas., Delong and Sponsler notes redeemed		2000 00
J. R. Fowler, Treas., county bonds redeemed		14500 00
*John L. Kline, outstanding order No. 42, being bal. due in auditors' settlement for 1893		133 30
		$22148 74

*Suit now pending with John L. Kline.

COURTS, JURORS' PAY, CONSTABLES' RETURNS TO SESSIONS.

Frank Singley et.al., constables' returns	$ 415 52
Harman Breisch et. al., grand jurors	888 61
A. N. Ale et. al., traverse jurors	2755 68
Newton Walker, stenographer	832 42
M. E. Cox et. al., tip staves	308 00
D. R. Coffman, court crier	205 00
Geo. Aurand, supper for jury	6 50
Blue & Heddens, boarding jurors '93-'94	33 50
John Mourey, sheriff, serving notices, drawing jurors, &c	159 43
M. W. McHenry, jury commissioner	46 45
J. S. Heller, jury commissioner	47 25
C. M. Terwilliger, clerk	25 00
	$5723 36

COSTS IN COMMONWEALTH CASES.

G. M. Quick, Prothonotary	$ 192 70
John Mourey, Sheriff	254 97
T. B. Hanly, Atty	198 00
Wm. Chrisman, Atty	124 00
Justices, constables and witnesses	1995 50
	$2764 97

ROAD AND BRIDGE VIEWS AND ROAD DAMAGES.

Alfred Hess, road damage,	Sugarloaf,	$ 10 00
Sarah C. Yost, "	Fishingcreek,	75 00
F. P. Drinker, "	Hemlock,	300 00
J. J. McHenry, "	Benton,	235 00
Joel Kelfer, "	"	75 00
Wilbur McHenry, "	"	265 00
Mary P. Knouse, "	"	55 00
S. S. Harvey, "	"	10 00
Mrs. Benj. Hess, "	Fishingcreek,	35 00
G. B. Crossley, "	Benton,	10 00
Benton Milling, "	"	100 00
John Potter, "	Pine,	25 00
H. J. Reeder, "	Franklin,	75 00
J. A. Lauch "	"	25 00
Wm. Howe, "	"	25 00
Bloom Wire Rope Ferry Co.,	Bloom,	166 00
G. W. Knouse, road damage,	Benton,	62 00
H. F. Everett, "	"	375 00
Sundry surveyors and viewers		714 90
		$ 2569 90

COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE AND COURT HOUSE.

J. F. Harkins, auditing accounts 1893	$ 33 00
W. M. Monroe, " " "	33 48
W. A. Dreisbach, " " "	37 80
C. M. Terwilliger, clerk for auditors	30 00
I. Hagenbuch, copying register books	5 00
Ralph Kisner, " " "	5 40
C. E. Savage, repairing clock	1 00
B. F. Rice, step ladder	3 50
H. B. Doak, work at law library	8 25
A. C. DeShepperd, work at law library repairing locks, &c	26 80
M. E. Cox, cleaning law library	5 65
G. G. Baker, repairing furniture	37 93
G. G. Baker, chairs and tables for court house	68 21
Fenton Metallic Co., files for Reg	142 50
N. C. Campbell, work traverse jury room	7 00
J. W. Mordan, lumber and work traverse jury room	76 68
W. O. Holmes, repairs, court house	161 47
W. W. Barrett, Jr., assisting copying assessors books	34 50
Moyer Bros., paints, &c	17 09
R. M. McBride, painting court room and jury room	17 50
Menagh & Searls, painting court house	30 50
J. R. Schuyler, sundries	30
Peacock & Co., hardware	4 05
W. J. Coffman, work court house	50
C. W. Runyon, sundries	55
Bloom Electric Light and Power Co	34 00
Bloom Ice Co	3 90
J. H. Mercer, brushes, &c., court house	1 60
W. H. Brower, carpets, matting, &c	196 62
W. H. Slate, pens, &c	4 75
Chas. Eck, lime	65
Kuss & Kumer, repairing balcony, &c	13 35
Joseph Weidle, repairing lawn mower	50
A. Z. Schoch, assignee I. W. McKelvy, sundries, 1890, '91, '92 and '93	98 67
J. K. Pensyl, sundries 1894	7 76
Bloom Water Co., water	185 65
Bloom Gas Co., gas	161 15
Bloom Steam Heat & Electric Light Co., steam heat	652 93
J. F. Harkins, copying assess books	8 50
C. M. Blaker, " " " and tax duplicates	56 87
J. Q. Barkley, copying assess books and tax duplicates	34 13
C. W. Langfield copying assess books and tax duplicates	38 88
W. H. Rhawn, atty	100 00
" " " additional services	20 00
Mattie Coffman, washing towels	2 50
D. R. Coffman, janitor	300 00
J. G. Swank, commissioner	995 11
W. H. Utt, "	992 17
G. M. Ikeler, "	998 21
C. M. Terwilliger, clerk	840 00
	$6303 42

COUNTY JAIL AND PRISON.

Charles Krug, work at jail	$ 1 25
Moyer & Eshleman, tinware	1 80
L. Gross, clothing for prisoners	2 75
I. Maier, " " "	4 45
D. Lowenberg Est., clothing for prisn'rs	2 10
F. D. Dentler, shoes for prisoners	4 05
John P. Jones, repairing shoes	2 60
R. R. Hartman, repairing shoes	2 70
A. C. DeShepperd, repairing locks	1 50
J. K. Pensyl, sundries, 1894	1 00
A. Z. Schoch, assignee I. W. McKelvy, for 1890, '91, '92, '93	30 00
Hess Iron Manfg. Co., repairs	3 05
C. W. Runyon, sundries	5 90
T. Vannatta, repairing pump	1 75
H. W McKeynolds, med. attendance '93	2 80
Lloyd Miller, wood	2 81
Kesty & Hoffman, repairs	2 25
H. J. Clark, blankets	4 75
John Mourey, sheriff, making bed ticks and filling 20 bed ticks	7 05
Bloom Water Co., water	48 38
Bloom Gas Co., gas	70 10
Eshleman & Wolf, repairs	107 95
T. C. Harter, physician	20 60
W. R. Kocher, coal	69 43
S. M. Hess, coal	111 78
John Mourey, turnkey fees to Dec. 1	51 50
" " " washing for prisoners to Dec. 1	78 12
John Mourey, boarding for prisoners to Dec. 1	983 25
G. M. Holdren, janitor, jail	334 00
	$3318 37

PRINTING, STATIONERY AND POSTAGE.

A. B Cathcart, postage stamps		$ 3 75
J. H. Mercer, postage stamps, cards and box rent		38 50
Mary J. Hunt, stationery		2 80
J. W. Moyer, sundries		3 00
Investors Publishing Co		5 60
C. H. Dorr, circulating county statement		3 00
G. A. Potter, circulating county statement		3 00
C. E. Randall, printing bonds	$ 79 50	
" " election proclamation	25 00	
C. E. Randall, special election notice, Cleveland	1 50	$ 106 00
J. C. Brown, election proc. Feb. and Nov	$ 50 00	
J. C. Brown, county statement	45 00	
" " advertising	10 75	$ 105 75
Geo. E. Elwell, election proc. Feb. and Nov	$ 50 00	
Geo. E. Elwell, county statement	45 00	
Geo. E. Elwell, advertising	15 50	
" " " court calendar	28 00	$ 138 50
Democratic Sentinel, election proc., Feb. and Nov	$ 50 00	
Democratic Sentinel, county statement	45 00	
Democratic Sentinel, advertising	54 75	$ 149 75
Benton Argus, advertising		$ 10 00
J. H. Wright, stationery		8 50
W. H. Slate, "		1 90
Wm. Mann Co., "		67 72
		$ 654 77

INQUISITIONS.

G. H. Vastine, examining body J. M. Wolverton	$ 2 00
W. B. Snyder, inquest body G. W. Adams	16 99
W. G. Gittens, inquest bodies D. Sullivan, John Startz and Geo. Allelsya	42 94
John J. Laughlin, Inquests on bodies of C. Greaf, John Manly, M. Monaghan and Wm. Correw	53 60
F. W. Redeker, investigating death of Warren Arnold	5 00
	$ 120 53

BRIDGE BUILDING AND REPAIRS.

BEAVER.

Henry Eckroth, work, Heller bridge	$ 5 25
J. M. Schlicher, plank, " "	41 36
	$ 46 61

BENTON

J. L. C. Kline, repairs, lumber, &c., Benton bridge	$ 25 32
J. L. C. Kline, repairs, Mendenhall bridge	1 98
" " " Laubach's "	2 75
" " " Cole's "	1 25
I. J. Thomas, " Thomas "	2 50
King Bridge Co., superstructure over Raven Creek for township	390 00
	$ 423 80

BLOOM.

John Walter, snowing double bridge	$ 3 00
S. H. Mordan, shingles, &c., double bridge	133 57
P. Jones et. al., work, double bridge	70 14
G. B. Hendershott, hauling lumber	2 00
J. W. Mordan, work, Red Rock bridge	2 40
Creasy & Wells, lumber, double bridge	2 25
	$ 233 36

BRIARCREEK.

Samuel Sitler, repairs, Ash bridge	$ 22 00

RIVER BRIDGE.

The King Bridge Co. on acct.	$30500	
Orders outstanding 1893, Nos. 722-723 and 724 in favor K. B. Co., paid 1894	5000	$35500 00
Joseph Hendler, substructure on acct	$29475 86	
Order No. 729 outstanding 1893, paid 1894	5941	$35415 86
J. C. Brown eng., services 1894	$ 314 80	
" " expenses	19 90	$ 334 70
W. H. Eyer, asst. eng. services 1894		468 75
John A. Wilson, special eng		410 00
O. B. Mellick, filling approaches riprapping piers etc		2384 21
John Huber et al., small bridge, south approach to river bridge		50 80
Creasy & Wells, lumber small bridge		76 91
C. W. Runyon, nails		4 77
Elias Utt and W. E. Weaver, guard rail		21 00
N. McLaughlin, posts for guard rail		5 00
S. Neyhard, hauling		1 25
Robert McBride, sign boards		15 50
J. C. Brown, eng, 1893		58 00
" " " expenses		2 40
W. H Eyer, asst., 1893		3 50
		$74752 15
Commission to Treas. on the same		1258 14
Total cost of river bridge		$76110 29

CATAWISSA.

Catawissa River bridge	$23779 18	
Bair & Geyer, plank, Cat'sa river bridge		$ 86 74
M. V. B. Kline, work, " " "		21 47
Thos. E. Harder, " " " "		17 85
" " " Creek bridge		3 00
P. K Vannatta, signs, river bridge		7 00
David Gillin, snowing paper mill and creek bridges		2 00
		$ 140 06

CLEVELAND.

N. A. Yocum, repairs, Walter bridge	$ 6 42

FISHINGCREEK.

G. W. Labor, work, Pealer bridge	$ 2 00
B. F. Edgar, work, Zaner "	6 60
E. M. Laubach, plank, Paden bridge	51 42
W. N. Ale, work, Ammerman "	5 00
A. A. Eveland, plank and work, Hess bridge	11 40
A. A. Eveland, plank and work Jonestown bridge	76 27
A. A. Eveland, plank and work Pine creek bridge	2 50
	$ 155 19

FRANKLIN.

C. W. Harder, shingles, Parr's bridge	$ 38 01
Sylvester Hower, work, " "	10 12
T. E. Harder, hauling, " "	75
C. S. Schmick & Son, nails, " "	75
	$ 49 63

GREENWOOD.

G. W. Heath, filling, Christian bridge	$ 1 25
T. H. Tubbs, hauling and mason work, Merrell bridge	17 50
H. E. Eves, filling, Merrell bridge, 1893	2 00
Geo. F. Kindt, work, " "	1 00
A. S. Ikeler, filling, " "	8 00
U. C. Oblasser, work,

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The Massachusetts Legislative Committee on Woman's Suffrage recently reported favorably on a bill granting full municipal suffrage to women.

In the brief time remaining the present Congress will do well to pass the necessary appropriations in a clean and statesman-like way. It is now claimed, however, that they will do so.

Is the Baker Ballot Secret?

About the only virtue and superiority of the complicated Baker ballot system over the old and simpler mode is in the temporary secrecy it insures to the voter. Now, let us look at this matter of secrecy a bit. At the time of casting the ballot and at the time of counting off, the number being hidden from view, of course the ballot is secret—so secret that even the election board cannot, without a distinguishing mark of some kind, tell one vote from another. So far so good; but the all sufficient evidence and just how every man votes is preserved among the records kept in every box a whole year after the election is over. Now, the question arises, are these new-fangled ballot boxes safe against the inquisitive after the boxes are locked, sealed and delivered over to the custody of the nearest justice of the peace or somebody else who, in many cases, pay little or no attention to them from first to last? And these ballot-boxes may be thus locked, sealed and delivered, with all their secret contents, and yet anybody so disposed, at any time, can just take hold of the handle and screw the top right off sleek and clean—I verily believe they were made so intentionally—without either breaking a lock or seal. He can then get the check list and ballots and go to work. A good light thrown on the ballot will soon disclose its number, and that is all the inquisitive needs to find out when he wishes to know just how you or I or anybody else voted; for he has open papers for the rest. As yet, you will observe, he has broken no lock or seal, and when he gets through with his examination to his heart's content, and made all the notes he cares to make, all he has to do is to screw the top of the secret ballot-box on again and go away with his official evidence as innocent as he came. The Baker ballot-box is a fraud, whatever may be said of the system of voting.

Hats Off and On.

The House of Representatives of Missouri recently defeated the bill making it a misdemeanor for women to wear hats at the theatres and churches.

We don't know for certain, but we are rather inclined to think that the statesman who conceived this idea must be standing in with Ingersoll in a determined effort to depopulate the church. The idea of a lady going to church and taking off her hat manfashion! Just think of it! We wonder what that Missouri statesman (who hoped of course that his hat bill might become law) thought the lady of the present day would do with her hat after she got it off in church. She couldn't well nurse it of course. To fix up a hat rack in each pew wouldn't cost much, its true; but then these racks, loaded down with hats, feathers, ribbons, &c., would certainly obstruct a fair view of the preacher. Besides the great disparity in the value of the female headgear would be too painfully apparent for anything but uninterrupted comparison on the part of the ladies, and this would certainly divert attention, and at the same time it would be extremely doubtful whether even the men would remember the text or receive the full force of the spiritual blows thrown at them over the hat-racks by even an eloquent preacher who was out of sight. "Out of sight out of mind" is a truism which the Missouri statesman must have forgotten all about when he drafted his female hat bill, as he innocently supposed, for the common good of the males who attend churches and theatres. "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof," and it is sufficient for the ladies to know that the hat bill is defeated. And if successful it would only apply to Missouri any how.

The Blue and the Gray.

Senator Cockrell, who was a gallant Confederate soldier, secured the passage in the Senate of an amendment appropriating $30,000 for a monument to General Sherman in Washington.

How Vain Are All Things Here Below!

Even the *Philadelphia Press* is led to remark that the Reed is broken—that Thomas Brackett Reed has committed political suicide in trying to straddle the money question. In palliation of the crime we shall not be so cruel as to charge that the act was premeditated. But it was only one of the dark clouds whose silver lining did the business for Thomas Parenthesis—beg pardon, we mean Brackett—Reed.

In this connection the *Press* says: "The path of the Presidential ambition is thickly strewn with the skeletons of suicides. Even the greatest of our public men, when impressed with the belief that they may become President, have weakened and shriveled up in manhood and sacrificed the qualities of the statesman to the expedients of ever changing political currents, and of this lesson Thomas B. Reed of Maine should take note. Mr. Reed has at last proposed a financial measure. He has done at this late day what he should have done in December last, and what he would have done had he not been dwarfed and enfeebled by presidential aspiration, and in his measure there was one fatal error that will make his election to the presidency impossible in 1896. Mr. Reed proposes to issue obligations for the government payable in coin and refuses to make them payable in gold coin. This is an awkward attempt to straddle the great issue of honest money, and it is an issue that no man can straddle without falling on the losing side. Mr. Reed has presumably foreshadowed the attitude of his party that must control the next popular branch of Congress and probably the Senate. If so, then is the Republican party committed against the maintenance of the public credit, and if that attitude shall be maintained in the next Congress, not only will Mr. Reed be the colossal political suicide of the age, but his party will be utterly wrecked under the leadership of one of the most brilliant of modern presidential suicides."

A Colored Statesman Dead.

Frederick Douglass, the colored orator, expired suddenly of heart disease on the evening of February 20th. To him death came without a warning. Having returned to his home at Anacostia from the Women's Convention in session at Washington, he was telling his wife what he saw and heard there, when suddenly he gasped, clasped his hand to his heart and fell back unconscious. A doctor was hastily summoned, and arrived within a very few moments, but his efforts to revive Mr. Douglass were hopeless from the first. Within twenty minutes after the attack the faint motion of the heart ceased entirely, and the great ex-slave statesman was dead.

Mr. Douglass leaves two sons and a daughter, the children of his first wife. His second wife, who was a white woman, survives him.

His life is so intermingled in the struggle for the freedom of the slaves of this country, though he was always cool and very conservative, that a history which would presume to leave his conservative efforts out would be incomplete as a history.

Income Tax a Happy Hit.

The 300,000 blanks printed for individual income-tax returns have already been exhausted, it is said; the encouraging and patriotic inference to be drawn from this is a healthy indication of an honest purpose upon the part of those who have enough and something to spare of this world's goods. In other words, the majority will pay their income tax with more ease and grace than the unemployed laborer can or does pay his occupation tax. It is said in New York that the collectors can hardly keep up with the demand made upon them by the wealthy for these blanks.

Financial Jealousy.

It is perhaps a little late to begin it, but the silver Senators are now disclosing to the public the bankers' profits on bonds. Why, "bankers' profits on bonds" might just as well have been revealed to the public any time since the first issue of bonds. If they have not always been issued in such a way that bankers could profit by them we are very much mistaken. In fact we suppose that if you were to take the bond profits away from our larger banking institutions their commercial profits and stock jobbing would soon result in their bankruptcy. Our monied institutions like our protected business industries are never so miserable as when their special favors are in the least curtailed by legislation which they have failed to control as they want it.

In looking over the election returns from abroad we find some ugly results; results that showing in gratitude upon the part of the sovereign power and presumptive friends. The ugly results abroad referred to being the defeat of all the editors Shickshinny boasts of. Now, the one being a Democrat and the other a Republican, it shows conclusively that it was their calling rather than their politics, religion or pervious condition of servitude, that defeated them; and hence these sympathetic tears.

Sound Advice from an Unsound Source.

We now find Ingersoll advancing an idea that we, too, have entertained and weakly expressed for some time. It is in relation to the lame and lopsided condition of our monetary affairs. He says: America should do like France—issue bonds in smaller denominations, down to $5 or even $2, and then go to the people and have the common people with them, and just as secure as are the heavier gold bearing bond holders. Don't take them all to the bankers and capitalists in $500, $1,000 and even larger denominations, intentionally so large that the poor cannot possibly reach them. Let the people have a chance at them, he says, and I am satisfied that the Treasury would be in a condition to meet all demands on it, and the credit of the United States be much better upheld. The resources of this country are great. Our laboring people are quite as able to make such investments as the peasantry of France. And having a personal financial interest in the stability of the government, who will doubt that it would engender patriotism in case of war.

Coal Trade.

POTTSVILLE, February 18.—The coal trade in the anthracite region is beginning to revive. The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company's fifty-two collieries to-day resumed, to work the entire week. Last week they worked six days. This is the first time during the past six months that the collieries are working a full week, three and four days per week being the average.

PITTSBURG, Pa., February 18.—Six hundred miners went to work this morning at the mines of the Saw Mill Run Coal Company and Hartley & Marshall, in this district, after a strike lasting one week for higher wages, returning to the old scale of 55 cents a ton.

WILKES BARRE, Pa., February 18.—The large coal breaker known as the "William H," at Duryea, was entirely destroyed by fire this evening. The loss is $45,000. Three hundred men and boys are thrown out of work by the destruction of the breaker.

The Weather, as Philadelphia Times saw it on Feb. 21st.

It looks as if the chances of having to endure another blizzard are very remote. On the 20th there was a general rise of temperature over the entire country, the greatest being in the Northwest, where the thermometer averaged a 20 degree rise. The lowest temperature in this city was 26 degrees, and the highest 45.

The indications are that the weather will be clear and slightly warmer. In fact, fine weather may be looked for for some time to come. But this contrary to scientific prophecy.

The new judicial apportionment bill is being watched with more than ordinary concern at the various county seats which are likely to be affected favorably or otherwise by it. We can see no particular advantage likely to fall to Bloomsburg, if we are rightly informed as to the arrangement.

In the midst of defeat in several other directions we only want to remark as a bit of encouragement to the unterrified that in Duluth, Minnesota, the Republicans got the grand bounce. Out there they call it a "somersault," but they admit that such significant spring results cut a good bit of frost above the prostrate forms of those that are still snowed under elsewhere.

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"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:
"I feel it a duty to state what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. I was almost blind, being compelled to stay in a darkened room on account of inflammation of the eyes. I also suffered with running sores on my body. I was in terrible condition. My mother tried every thing she knew about and I was attended by two doctors but without helping me. Finally Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommended and I had not taken two bottles before I began to get better. The inflammation left my eyes and the sores healed, and the result was that

I Became Stronger,

and was restored to perfect health. At that time I was only twelve years old; now I am nineteen and I have not since been troubled with my eyes or noticed any sign of a return of the sores on my body. I can recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla as an excellent blood purifying medicine." MISS CORA EBERT, Barnesville, Pa.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Hood's Pills act easily, yet promptly and efficiently, on the liver and bowels. 25c.

What the Rothschilds Say of the New American Bond Issue.

Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Son say that the new American loan has proved a colossal success.

The subscription lists to the new loans were closed after being open but two hours. It is reported that the amount to be placed in Europe was covered twenty times.

The Pall Mall Gazette says that the success of the loan is a tribute to the power of Messrs. Rothschild and a mark of confidence in the great wealth and financial stability of the United States.

Since the Japanese failed to kill all the Chinese officials engaged in the defense of Wei-Hai-Wei, the Emperor of China has ordered beheaded all civil, military and naval officers who didn't die at the time in defence of their country. War in China means death, no matter whether you survive or perish in battle. If you escape the enemy you can't escape the Emperor. This would be the right territory for the American bounty-jumper and hospital bummer to strike, as their numbers would grow beautifully less.

SATISFACTION OF A MORTGAGE

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, NO. MAY TERM 1895.

In the matter of the petition of J. L. Dillon for satisfaction of a mortgage given by John Robison to Hiram Christman, William Christman, Charles Bodine, and Maria, his wife, Wm. Neal and Catharine, his wife, Lavilla Christman, Horace Pursel and Willitts Pursel, and Mary Christman, widow of Casper Christman.

COLUMBIA COUNTY, SS.

To Hiram Christman, Wm. Christman, Charles Bodine and Maria, his wife, Wm. Neal and Catharine, his wife, Lavilla Christman, Horace Pursel and Willitts Pursel, and their heirs or legal representatives, and all persons claiming to be the owner or owners of said mortgage.

Whereas it appears by the records, in the office of the Recorder of Deeds, &c., at Bloomsburg, that a certain mortgage, dated the 22nd day of January, 1842, recorded in Mortgage Book, No. 2, page 540, &c., upon land in Bloom township adjoining lands of Valentine Kressler, Andrew Koons, Valentine Kressler and others, containing 31 acres, and 156 perches of land, given by John Robison to Hiram Christman, Wm. Christman, Charles Bodine and Maria, his wife, Wm. Neal and Catharine, his wife, Lavilla Christman, Horace Pursel and Willits Pursel, and Mary Christman, widow of Casper Christman, to secure the payment of $863 40 after the death of said widow, remains unsatisfied.

And whereas the said widow having died about the year 1850, and whereas, it is alleged that all the money due on said mortgage was paid, and a legal presumption now exists of the payment of said mortgage from lapse of time; and whereas J. L. Dillon, present owner of the mortgaged premises has applied to the Court of Common Pleas of said county, where said premises are situated praying said Court to decree and direct that satisfaction be entered upon the record of said mortgage on payment of the costs due on the same, and the satisfaction so entered shall forever discharge and release the lien of said mortgage from the said premises.

Therefore all persons interested as owners or holders of said mortgage, are required, by an order of said Court, to appear at the next term of said Court, to be held at Bloomsburg, on the first Monday of May, A. D., 1895, to answer the petition aforesaid, and to show cause, if any there be, why said mortgage shall not be satisfied as prayed for in said petition.

J. B. McHENRY, Sheriff.

WM. CHRISMAN, Atty.
2-1-4t.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, Monday the twenty-fifth day of March A. D., 1895, by Paul E. Wirt, L. E. Waller, P. S. Harman, H. G. Sherwood, C. C. Peacock, Creasy & Wells, S. H Harman and C. W. Miller, under Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations, approved April 29th, A. D., 1874, and the several supplements thereto for the charter of an intended corporation to be called the Penn Elevator Company, the character and object of which is the manufacture of elevators and special machinery from wood, iron and other metal, or any one or more of them combined. And for these purposes, to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

C. W. MILLER, Solicitor.
2-1-4t

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, Monday, the 25th day of February, A D., 895, by W. B. Cummings, George W. Verdy, Anna L. Churchill, Henry C. Churchill, Robert Elliott and Charles W. Frantz, under Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations approved April 29th, A. D., 1874," and the several supplements thereto, for the Charter of an intended corporation to be called the Cummings & Verdy Company, the character and object of which is "the manufacturing of chewing gum and other confections and marketing the products." And for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy, all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

C. G. BARKLEY,
C. W. MILLER,
Solicitors.
2-1-4t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of A. K. Smith, late of Madison township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of A K. Smith, late of Madison township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

WILLIAM S. SMITH, Administrator, Montandon, Pa.

R. BUCKINGHAM, Attorney.
3-1-6t.

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.

Estate of Lucy J. Brockway, late of Bloomsburg, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Lucy J. Brockway, late of Bloomsburg, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administratrix to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

ALICE BROCKWAY KASHNER, Administratrix.
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That is the way we are turning our stock this month. Its only the 15th day of February, when a whole car load of

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Before the vernal equinox draws the line over which grim winter dare not step, our store shall bud and blossom with a strange beauty. In the meantime

This May Interest You.

Look over your muslin stock, see what you need and then look over this:

Pillow cases in almost endless variety—cheaper than ever.
D. & L. muslin cases in size from 42 x 36 to 50 x 36, 12½c. to 16c.
Anchor muslin cases, size from 45 x 36 to 50 x 36, 17c. and 20c.
F. F. V. muslin cases, *hem-stitched*, size 45 x 38, only 25c.

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D. & L. muslin 81 x 90 @ 50c.
" " 90 x 90 @ 60c.
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" " 90 x 90 @ 75c.
H. & H. " 90 x 90 @ 90c.—*These are hemstitched.*

☞ *When you see the quality of these goods, and consider the time and trouble saved from making them, the prices are extremely low.* ☜

Fruit of the loom muslin, bleached and very good, at 7c. the yard.
If you want unbleached muslin, we have it from 20 yds. $1.00, upwards.
Calicoes, extra values, from 4 to 6c.

....GROCERY DEPARTMENT....

We try to keep this department up to the highest standard, and if you need anything in this line we always try to accomodate you. *Sweet Potatoes*; these are extra nice and not woody, at 35c. the peck. Canned asparagus at 15c., and the tips at 35c. Hemlock flour $2.85 the bbl.

PURSEL & HARMAN,

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Rubber Boots and Overshoes for Men, Women, Children and everybody. Now is the season for them. Buy them of

J. A. HESS,

Main Street

Bloomsburg, Pa.

CHARTER NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, Monday, the 18th day of March, A. D. 1895, by George W. Davis, John F. Kress, C. G. Murphy, John E. Reilly, Martin Welsh, James Reilly, David Welsh, Lewis E. Davis, O. B. Millard, Chris Rooney, Edward Dempsey, John J. Laughlin, J. M. Gwinner and others, under the act of assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the Incorporation and Regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the several supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended Corporation to be called "The Citizens' Building and Loan Association of Centralia, Pa.," the character and object of which is the "accumulating a fund by the periodical contributions of the members thereof, and of safely investing the same;" and for these purposes, to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

CHARLES G. BARKLEY, Solicitor.
Feb. 20th, 1895, 4t.

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Do you want to borrow money on equitable terms?
Do you desire to pay off a mortgage and re-borrow the money at 5 per cent. interest annually?
Would you care to be so situated that you could reduce the mortgage against your home by paying off a small amount monthly and at the end of each year receive credit for all paid? With interest being charged only on remaining portion of loan.
Would you like to buy your family a home? If so, read the following:

I represent a Company that has embodied in its plan all the features enumerated above and many more. Can you see any reason why you should pay a large interest for money when you have good security? Can you present any good reason why it is not as well to receive profits yearly as to wait from 7 to 10 years as one does in many of the Associations? Is not the reduction of interest yearly better than waiting many years for profits? Borrowers under the plan represented by me assume absolutely no risk as each $1.00 paid on the loan is credited on the mortgage, thereby reducing it in proportion to the amount paid.

Building Associations have benefitted hundreds of thousands, so did the old cars that were propelled by horses. Our plan is as far superior to Building Associations as the trolley cars are to the old antiquated horse car system. My time is too much occupied to answer questions for the curious, but those seeking information for the betterment of their condition will receive full information promptly. We offer an investment to those who have a small amount to save monthly that has no superior as to safety and seldom equaled for profits. Call or write.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1895.

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OUR CLUB OFFERS.

Every subscriber, new or old, who pays one full year in advance, will receive free for one year *The American Farm News.*

THE COLUMBIAN and the *Philadelphia Weekly Times* for one year for $1.40.

THE COLUMBIAN and the *New York World* twice a week, for $1 75. This is a great combination, one of the best we ever offered. The twice a week *World* contains twelve pages of the news of the world. It is the best value ever offered for the money. Try it. tf.

Washington's Birthday had no distinguishing marks this year in Bloomsburg except at the High School.

At present writing Milton is one of the many places now in danger of the Spring freshets.

The "Bloomsburg" and "Normal," the newest out in stiff hats.

J. M. Gidding & Co.

Acting through the blood, Hood's Sarsaparilla not only cures scrofula, salt rheum, etc., but gives health and vigor to the whole body.

No less than forty-eight mail trains and stages were robbed during the past year, according to the Postmaster General's report.

The Moyer buildings on Main street below Market are fast assuming the look of fine business stands. These extensive alterations will greatly enhance their value.

The "Gaiety Girl," the newest out in flange brim hats. Colors, pearl, black and suede.

J. M. Gidding & Co.

In Ohio they have now a new labor organization. It is known as the Independent Order of the Knights of Labor. Opposition is an equitable stimulant sometimes.

In the vicinity of New Columbus a mild type of grip seems to have grasped some one or more in each family. The ailment is accompanied with more or less coughing, dizziness, and severe headache.

We don't like to cast unnecessary ridicule upon scientific humbugs, but we should like the weather-prophets to explain what became of the blizzards and terrible weather promised us about the 25th of February.

Rev. A. Houtz will deliver a sermon on "The Moral and Religious Character of Washington," on Sunday, March 10th, as follows: Hidlay, at 10:30 A. M., and Briarcreek, 2:30 P. M.

Moody, the Evangelist, was once a salesman for a shoe house; but entering the field as an Evangelist in 1860, his spiritual efforts met with unparaleled success; and to-day wherever protestant christianity is known to the world there Moody the evangelist is favorably known.

Samuel Miller, an old soldier who had five honorable discharges, and who had served altogether 14 years in the United States army, died in the poor-house at Northumberland on Sunday morning, at the age of 55 years. His remains were interred at the Sunbury Cemetery on Tuesday.

John P. Ruch, leader of the Northumberland Military Band, died at his home on Sunday evening, the 17th instant, after a brief affliction with Diabetes. He expired at the age of 26 years, leaving a wife and one child. He was well and favorable known at home and will be much missed in the musical circles.

Hawaiian refuges explain the object of the recent revolt there as a determined effort to restore the queen.

Three cases of diphtheria were recently reported to the Sunbury Board of Health. Two children and one woman, the woman Mrs. Mary Parks, being 48 years of age.

Let's give Hicks his dues if the roughest kind of rough weather strikes us between the 22d and the 24th of February. And if it don't strike us, still let us give him his dues.

To avoid the danger of duplicating names of post-offices in the comparatively new State of Washington they are naming the newly established offices as follows: Pysht, Quitlagnette, Utsaladdy, and Klickitaty, &c.

Catawissa has in the person of Miss Zua B. Guie a more than ordinary elocutionist. She was booked for appropriate recitals at Tunkhannock, Pa., on the evening of Washington's birthday.

The Penn Elevator Works, lately reorganized, are now under full control of Bloomsburg business men, and future success is promising under the guidance of such men as Paul E. Wirt, P. S. Harman, C. C. Peacock and H. G. Sherwood.

It is now intimated that there has been a far reaching conspiracy discovered in China against the present rulers. The ease with which victory is always gained by Japan would seem to confirm the suspicion.

Stepping into W. H. Moore's neat establishment on the corner of Main and Iron street, recently, we found it greatly improved as regards convenience and display of his large and fine stock of boots, shoes, &c. His present arrangement gives him more room.

The guess candle in the large show window of Gidding & Co., the clothiers, is attracting considerable attention. To make it safe Gidding & Co. were compelled to have a tin funnel and pipe put through the top of the show window. This will leave out all the smoke.

There is a sickly boast now going the rounds of the papers to the effect that less than one-half of the farms of this country are mortgaged. If one-half are now mortgaged, what will become of the other half in a decade or two of years, if prevailing assessments and unfavorable conditions are not changed for the better?

In Sunbury "electric lights or no electric lights," was one of the questions to be determined at the polls at the last election. Light having won the day, hereafter there will be considerably less darkness in Sunbury if they can keep up enough friction to generate the requisite amount of electricity. It is likely the friction will keep up all right after the bills commence to come in.

All wishing to procure good photographic views and descriptions of the places connected with the early life of Christ and His Apostles, showing where He was born, brought up, baptized, tempted, transfigured and crucified, and the various places made sacred by the labors of Himself and His Apostles, can easily secure them in 24 serial parts, by taking advantage of the liberal opportunity now offered at Mr. Slate's popular book store in this place. The work is gotten out artistically, and much after the style of the "Magic City," or World's Fair pictures. For Mr. Slate's liberal inducement to purchasers see his advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

NOTICE.

Thomas McBride, after a faithful service of 19 years, as stewart of the Bloom Poor House has resigned.

The Poor Directors are now ready to receive applications for the position of stewart up to Thursday, March 7th, at 12 noon.

L. M. Creveling, of Van Camp, was the successful candidate for Justice of the Peace, we are glad to announce.

The "Gaiety Girl," the newest out in flange brim hats. Colors, pearl, black and suede.

J. M. Gidding & Co.

A pleasant surprise party took place at the residence of C. C. Trench on Fifth street last Thursday. A number of people from Danville, Bloomsburg, and other places were present.

A faithful animal, indeed, was the horse of A. B. White, of Light Street, that recently pulled on a bare bridge until it choked in a tight collar and staggered and fell over the abutment of the bridge. Between sleighing and wagoning the hardest of draughts are encountered.

Science has now discovered that microbes are exchanged through kissing. We are sorry to mention it, and if it were not a scientific conclusion we should not do so; for this knowledge only tends to confirm the addage, "Where ignorance is bliss it's folly to be wise."

The Watson Sisters having played here a short time ago, need no further introduction. Having since added to their corps of octors they will again entertain patrons in the Opera House on Thursday evening, February 28th, when they will play their "Reception Royal."

A very joyous occasion is reported as having been had at the "Crag" residence of Mr. and Mrs. James Magee on the evening of Washington's birthday. It was a friendly and patriotic entertainment and was tendered to Bible Class No. 9, of which Mr. Magee is the very popular and efficient teacher.

The dog "Keiser" again springs into notoriety. Not, as according to the song, because "he would make good sausage meat," but on this occasion because Keiser actually caught the fox recently turned loose in Bloomsburg. The first report, it is claimed, did Keiser an injustice by placing the honors on some other dog.

In Jersey, where white and colored tramps are placed in a common pit, they are said to draw the color line when in there and fight like cats and dogs. Jersey is charitable enough to provide such fair winter quarters as to make them quite popular with the tramps; but as yet they have no reserved seats, and they make no distinction because of race, color, or previous condition of servitude. There is where Jersey is a little lame.

At the Normal Auditorium.

On Thursday evening, February 28th, Mr. W. E. Meehan will entertain an audience at the Normal and speak from personal observation and experience about "Greenland's Icy Mountains." A pleasant and profitable evening may no doubt be spent here.

Resolutions of Thanks.

WHEREAS, it having been the custom of the P. O. S. of A. No. 17, of Light Street, to attend church in a body once a year, as near the 22d day of February as convenient, therefore be it.

Resolved: That we take this means of extending our thanks to Rev. R. Wilson for the sermon in which he so ably outlined the principles of our Order toward our flag our country and the laws of good government;

Resolved: That we extend to the members of the M. E. Church our many thanks for their cordial welcome and hospitality toward us.

Resolved: That we extend to the members of other camps many thanks for turning out with us.

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The Bloomsburg Candy Mf'g Co.

This comparatively new establishment is now turning out first class goods. While the manufactory is located on Center street, under the Opera House, they have also a retail establishment at the old stand on Main street. Here may be found fresh-made candy of both home and foreign manufacture. Candy is fresh made every hour. Here children may find pure goods, choice taffies, French creams, caramels, bon bons, &c. At the Main street stand may be found dry nuts, fruits, sweet potatoes and early vegetables also. J. Bush and N. Malfaiera are the reliable and gentlemanly proprietors, and they will be pleased to accomodate customers either at wholesale or retail.

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SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTE
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It is not pleasant to print dunning notices in the paper, and we avoid it as much as possible, but when an examination of our books shows that that there is a large amount outstanding that is needed in our business, the necessity of calling attention to it is forced upon us. The times are hard, and for that reason we have been just as lenient as possible, but expenses are heavy, and when money does not come in fast enough to pay them, we must ask for what is due. All subscribers who owe for a year or more will please settle before April 1st. Statements of the amount due will be sent through the paper to those who are in arrears, and prompt payment is requested. tf.

Valuable Real Estate at Private Sale.

The undersigned offer for sale the property on East street, occupied by Miss Kinney, the lot fronting on East and Catharine streets. The house can easily be moved from front to rear end of lot as the building is in three separate frames. Built of good oak and yellow pine timber. The front would make a desirable location for any kind of business. The above property will be put up at public sale on March 9th, at one o'clock, if not disposed of sooner. Also the square on Iron and Fourth streets is offered at private sale. It is one of the most valuable properties in Bloomsburg, as it lays as near the centre of the town as may be and in a desirable location.

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Many years' experience has taught him that nearly all ailments can be cured or greatly helped. The diseases he treats are Consumption, all Bronchial Affections, Loss of Manhood, Crooked Limbs, Wry Necks, Barrenness, Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Syphilis, Eye and Ear Diseases, Skin Diseases, Neuralgia, Bright's Disease, Ulcers and Old Sores of every description, Rheumatism, either acute or chronic, Sick Headache, Epilepsy, Gastritis, Congestion, Canker, Tonsilitis, Deafness, St. Vitus' Dance, Impediment of Speech, Loss of Voice, Stuttering, Cancer of the Stomach, Piles, Jaundice, Constipation, Biliousness, Dysentery, Chronic Diarrhœa, Chills and Fever, Fistula, Bilious Colic, Paralysis, Heart Disease, Intestinal Worms and Liver Complaints.

However, it must be remembered that he will not undertake to treat all cases, *but only those* which he is positive can be cured or greatly relieved, and will tell you at once which, *if either*, can be accomplished.

DR. MacTAGGART is the only specialist this side of New York, Philadelphia and Buffalo, who makes an exclusive specialty of treating Chronic Cases and the Diseases of Women. Those who have been suffering for years should call at once and learn whether their ailment can be cured or not. No cases received unless they can be cured or greatly helped.

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Republican Dread of Responsibility.--Not much but Appropriations this Session.--Senator Vilas and the Carpers About a Better Deal for Gold.--Secretary Carlisle's Sound Advice to Congress.--The Limit of the Unlimited Coinage Bill.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, February 22, 1895.

Whether intentionally or not matters little, but that President Cleveland has, by a few remarks made to several gentlemen who called at the White House to pay him their respects, badly frightened the republican leaders in Congress is certain. The callers in question were Representatives elect Smith and Corliss, of Michigan, and Towne, of Minnesota. After chatting awhile the President significantly said: "How would you gentlemen like to begin your Congressional duties as early as March 15?" They declared they were perfectly willing to wait until December, and were told by the President that conditions and not personal considerations must determine the time of the meeting of Congress. Within an hour the conversation was known at the Capitol, and the republican leaders in both Senate and House had their heads together. Although they have professed indifference, it is known that they dread an extra session beyond everything, as it will quickly demonstrate their inability to legislate upon financial subjects. They have been hoping that the gold received for the last issue of bonds, which they have so loudly and hypocritically denounced, would enable the Treasury to pull through without and extra session and that by next December there would not be such pressing need for legislation. This scare is having one good effect. It is making the republicans assist in pushing the appropriation bills through, because they have an idea that the President would not object to Congress forcing an extra session by failure to pass them all.

The man who "objects" is now in his glory in both House and Senate. He can block small legislation at will, as unanimous consent is needed to get action upon any bill not having the right of way under the rules. There is little probability of any more important legislation, except the appropriation bills.

Senator Vilas, of Wisconsin, who made one of the greatest speeches of his life—he spoke nearly four hours—in reply to the unjust and unpatriotic carping and insinuations of the republican and populist Senators concerning the contract made by Secretary Carlisle to secure gold for bonds, refuted in detail every insinuation that has been made, and made it plain to every unprejudiced mind that Secretary Carlisle, acting in concert with President Cleveland, had availed himself of every possible means to make as favorable a bargain as possible and that no one else could have secured better terms from the men who controlled the gold wanted. Senator Aldrich, of Rhode Island, who persisted in interrupting Mr. Vilas to say directly, or to intimate that he could have got the gold cheaper, was well answered, and the answer applies to all the other fault-finders. Mr. Vilas said: "If the Senator from Rhode Island, instead of standing here to carp at a transaction already accomplished and finished, had put himself at one end of the Atlantic cable, as the Secretary of the Treasury did, and with the aid of the greatest bankers of New York, had cabled, as the Secretary did, to every money market of the world trying in every way possible to get a reduction of the rate of interest, he would have had a different opinion as to the possibility of getting gold at such a price as he wanted."

There was no uncertain sound about Secretary Carlisle's answer to the Senate resolution of inquiry as to the necessity for legislation authorizing the issue of Treasury certificates to meet a deficit in the revenues, which all of the republicans and a few of the democrats in Congress have insisted would have to be met, and which had even been provided for in an amendment to an appropriation bill, authorizing the issue of 3 per cent. loan certificates to the amount of $100,000,000. Secretary Carlisle said: "It is my opinion that the Secretary of the Treasury ought to be permanently invested with authority to issue and sell short time bonds or other obligations of the government for the purpose of raising money to meet such deficiencies in the ordinary revenues as may occur from time to time; but I do not think that there is any necessity at the present time for the exercise of such authority, if it existed. It is not probable that such deficiencies will occur during the remainder of the current fiscal year as will exceed the balance on hand, and it is estimated that during the next fiscal year the receipts will exceed the expenditures." Surely that ought to be sufficient to silence the deficit croakers.

The bill for the unlimited coinage of silver did not reach a vote in the Senate, although it was demonstrated that it was supported by a substantial majority. When the bill was reported to the Senate it was understood that it was to be allowed to be voted upon, in order to put the Senate on record, but after trying to force a vote by a protracted session the bill was sent to the calendar, it having been shown that no vote could be reached.

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Gentry, the Jealous Murderer, Talks of his Crime.

On a cot in the German Hospital, his emanciated form swathed in bandages, his face pallid and showing signs of intense suffering, James B. Gentry, the murderer of Madge Yorke, was found battling with death, while on either side of his bed sat a policeman keeping him under surveillance. A faint spark of life glimmered within the body of the murderer, which the physicians in the hospital endeavored by every means known to science to keep burning, but late in the evening they announced that his chances between life and death were even, with the indications pointing toward the latter.

GENTRY TALKS OF HIS MOVEMENTS.

He told a policeman that from the time he escaped from the hotel until taken to the hospital not a mouthful of food had passed his lips, and he was compelled to quench his thirst by eating snow. As far as could be ascertained from what he said, Gentry, after leaping from the fire escape, ran down Duponceau street to locust. After wandering about for awhile, he went to Ninth and Market streets, where he boarded a Columbia avenue cable car and rode out to the Columbia avenue entrance of the Park.

Entering at this point, he wandered around the Park for nearly three days, fearing to come forth and ask for food, lest he be recognized and arrested. Finally his sufferings both from hunger and his injuries became so excruciating that he decided to commit suicide. With this end in view he stabbed himself with his penknife and, under cover of darkness, crawled to the steps of Reservoir Mansion, where he was found by Policeman Mason.

CONFRONTED WITH LIDA CLARKE.

Miss Clarke detailed the story of the murder. Gentry, who lay on the bed with his eyes partly opened, listened, but made no remarks as she gave her statement, and when she concluded the magistrate asked him if he desired to say anything in his own behalf.

For a moment there came no answer, then the murderer opened his eyes wide and in a low tone said:

HE PLEADS INSANE JEALOUSY.

"I wish to say a few words about it. I simply want to tell the truth. I was insanely jealous. I had known Madge Drysdale since August, 1893. We became friendly and were engaged to be married, and she wore my ring on her finger. She also bought me a ring which she paid over $100 for. I was to have met her in New York on Sunday. Her letters had turned cold, and I had wired her a number of times to let me know the cause of the sudden change, which was natural, my thinking as much of her as I did. Her telegram read: '12:03. I leave here at 10.' I had journeyed all night from Boston, and was very sleepy when I got to New York, and did not get there until 12:43. I arrived there and did not see anything of her in the 12:43 boat. I couldn't do anything, for I was a complete wreck, and went to her father's house and asked if he had heard anything of her coming to him. He said no: I had better go down again; there were some more trains and I might meet her. I went down again, and not seeing her, bought a round trip ticket and took a train for Philadelphia. In the meantime I had been drinking on being disappointed. On arriving at Philadelphia I went to the Irving House and then to Miss Dietrich's and heard she was next door. I went into Zeisse's, met Mr. Zeisse and asked where was Miss Yorke's room. I had a pistol in my pocket which I had borrowed from a man named Hacket in our company. I said in my mind I may have to shoot some Romeo in the foot. I fully expected to find a man in her room, a little blonde fellow. I went up stairs and walked into the room, and when I saw her was very much delighted. I said: 'Well, darling, I have come.' I had lived on beef and clam broth for a week previous. I was completely upset. I said: 'Are you glad to see me? She seemed to be awfully disappointed at my appearance. She said: 'Oh, why, what are you doing here? I said: 'Darling, won't you kiss me?' She said: 'I will not.' (as I remember). I said: 'You won't?" She replied: 'No.' These seemed to be her last words, and the result followed. I was insanely jealous. I had no intention of shooting her when I left Boston But I was so enraged, for I loved the woman.

The strain of the talking was too much for Gentry, and when he had finished he lapsed into a state of semi-consciousness and remained in that condition the rest of the day. Strenuous efforts were made by the physicians to strengthen him.

Late last night Mr. Drysdale, father of the murdered girl, came to Philadelphia, and to-day he will take his daughter's body to New York for burial.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

NEW YORK CITY MERCHANT.

How His Life Was Saved.

[From the New York City Catholic News.]

No one would think to look at Richard B. Brown, a commission merchant, of No. 306 Washington street, New York City, that for six weeks he suffered in agony in his bed and that physicians had said it was impossible for him to regain his health.

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"For several years," said Mr. Brown to a reporter the other day, "I suffered from inflammation and ulceration of the bladder, a most stubborn disease. My family physician was unable to relieve me. At the advice of friends I consulted specialists, and they all failed to do me any good. All this time I was growing worse, and at last I was compelled to take to my bed.

"My mother-in-law had heard of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, and she asked me to give it a trial. I had been confined to my bed for five weeks and I admit that I didn't think there was much chance of getting out of it. Well, I tried Favorite Remedy. There seemed to be a change that surprised me. In a week I was able to get out of bed and go around the house, and in a short time I recovered completely. To-day I'm as well as ever and, what's better yet, I feel that I am permanently cured. I can work sixteen hours a day now, and not be broken up a bit. To Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is all the credit due."

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School Appropriation.

The house education committee recently reported with amendments the bill introduced by Representative Smith, of Bedford, relative to the distribution of the school appropriation. The bill originally provided that half of the appropriation be given the schools and the balance be distributed on the basis of taxables. At this rate each school would receive about $100. Philadelphia's appropriation would be scaled down over $120,000 and Allegheny about $60,000. The bill was amended so that one-third of the appropriation goes direct to the schools and the balance on the taxables. By this change Philadelphia loses about $100,000 and Allegheny $40,000. The purpose of the bill is to give more money to the country districts. The rural members claim that the cities and boroughs have been getting the lion's share of the appropriation. The Seyfert bill requiring each school district to raise by taxation a sum equal to the State appropriation before it would be paid will also be favorably reported. The measure is intended to prevent certain school districts from reducing school taxes in proportion to the appropriation received.

An Unfortunate Mistake.

Nellie Kinney, 5 years old, of 1217 North Fifth street, Harrisburg, is in St. Mary's Hospital in a precarious condition, the result of poison administered by the child's mother by mistake.

Mrs. Kinney stated to a reporter that one of her children who had the diphtheria, was removed from the house and all the medicine bottles were placed together on a table, among which was one containing carbolic acid. The little girl complained of some ailment, and in her haste to relieve it Mrs. Kinney got hold of the wrong bottle and gave her daughter a spoonful of the deadly poison.

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The skeleton of a prehistoric bird, found recently in a mound in Idaho, indicates that in life it must have measured nearly forty feet between the tips of its wings.

The stalk of the sunflower has been tested by experiments, with the hope of using it in the manufacture of paper. The result was a paper of such coarse texture that it could only be used for wrapping purposes.

The fourth year of the Leland Stanford university opened with 825 students, exclusive of about 100 post-graduates, an increase of 150 over the number of students present last year. The total registration for the year will exceed 1,200.

Ostrich farms have been tried in California, with but indifferent success. The birds do not increase as rapidly as was expected, and many of them are so vicious as to render the removal of the feathers without killing the bird an impossibility.

London and Berlin are to be connected by telephone via Brussels. The postal authorities of the three capitals are carrying on negotiations for that purpose. London and Paris, Brussels and Paris, and Berlin and Vienna are already connected by telephone; so are Hamburg and Berlin.—New York World.

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Plym'th Ferry	"	f 7 30	10 21	f 3 17	f 6 0		f 4 45
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Mocanaqua	"	8 01	10 50	3 46	6 3		5 21
Wapwallopen	"	8 11	11 00	3 56	6 4		5 32
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Sunbury	ar	‖ 5 08	‖ 9 56	.....	† 5 35	9 56
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Kane	"	7 05	.....	.....	† 6 30	7 05
Renova	"	10 35	.....	.....	10 25	10 35
Lock Haven	"	11 25	† 7 15	.....	11 20	11 25
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Catawissa	"	6 10	10 40	.....	6 28	10 40
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Nescopeck	ar	8 04	11 11	.....	6 58	11 11
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Fern Glen	"	6 59	11 42	.....	7 27	.....
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Mocanaqua	"	8 26	11 32	4 33	7 22	11 32
Natticoke	"	8 46	11 54	4 47	7 44	11 54
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Plym'th Ferry	"	8 54	12 02	5 05	7 53	12 02
Wilkesbarre	"	9 00	12 10	5 15	8 00	12 10
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METHODS OF PRIMARY READING.
XI.

The Burnz Phonetic Method.

BY WILLIAM NOETLING.

The author of this method is Mrs. Eliza Boardman Burnz, Principal of the New York School of Phonography.

This, the latest of the phonetic methods, was published in 1892. The author in speaking of her little book, The Step-By Step Primer, says it "is so arranged that a little child or a foreigner can learn to read from it easily, through analogy and by the use of reason. The pronunciation of each word is shown on the printed face without at all changing the common spelling.

"Letters, of course, are arbitrary signs, but when their powers are once learned they should furnish the key to pronunciation. This we know they do not do in ordinary English books. One reason is because the twenty-six letters are not sufficient in number to denote the forty or more separate, elementary sounds which compose the words of the spoken language. Another reason is, that the twenty-six letters are not used with consistency. The vowel letters have from three to seven sounds each, and interchange those sounds, and both are often silent. Prof. Marteneau says: 'Learning to read English is the most difficult of human attainments;' and it is undoubtedly so, if learning to spell is taken into account.

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"The Step-By Step Primer essays to do the best that can be done at present. It takes as a basis the Anglo-American alphabet of forty-two letters, or combinations of letters, each of which denotes an elementary sound of the language. Every sound has a definite representation, and no letter or combination of letters, in the same position, denotes more than one sound.

"Since the short vowel sounds occur much more frequently than the long, in English words, the letters which denote the short are unmarked. *An unmarked vowel letter always denotes its short or 'second' sound.* This plan reduces the number of marked letters to a minimum. The short sounds occur in the words first shown in the Primer—words that the child most frequently uses—therefore no markings are required at the beginning of study. The few necessary connecting words can be pronounced by the teacher or learned by the 'word method' until the lesson which gives their sound is reached.

"When letters in a printed word are silent—that is, really useless—they are put in *hair line type.* If a letter is perversely used, its true sound is indicated by *a small type placed below*, and the pupil gives *its* sound instead of that of the more prominent letter; or, though rarely, the false letter is set in a different type, and the true letter or letters put in parenthesis at the end of the word. Occasionally, the whole word is respelled, phonetically, and placed in parentheses.

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"In the Step-By-Step Primer phonetic truth is presented to guide and encourage.

"Instruction in reading should be begun by showing the object, or picture of the object, which is represented by the subject word. Converse about it. Mention four ways in which a person can let another know what he or she is thinking of. First, by showing the object; second, by showing a picture of the object; third, by speaking the name of the object; fourth, by using marks, called letters, which stand for the sounds of the spoken word."

As well observed in the foregoing explanations, (1) the short vowel sounds are not marked,—this reduces the number of diacritical marks; (2) the silent letters are printed in hair line type; (3) where a letter does not have its usual sound, a small letter representing the correct sound is printed below it and, in some cases, above it. Thus, a small *a* is put under the *a* and a small *z* under the *s*, in *says*, and the *y* is in hair line type.

The method is recommended by leading scholars and educators. Dr. Wm. T. Harris says: "It seems to me that your device, if adopted, would prove of great utility."

Prof. F. A. March, of Lafayette College, says: "Your Step By Step Pronouncing Primer is certainly an excellent book to teach the beginning of reading. * * * I hope to see it in the list of supplies for the New York Public Schools."

Melvil Dewey, Secretary of the University of the State of New York. says: "I shall look for remarkably good results in teaching reading with this primer."

Fred. A. Fernald, Editor of *Our Language*, expresses his opinion as follows: "No more valuable book than this for elementary education has appeared for many years. * * * There is no reformed spelling in it, and there is not a trace of 'crankiness' in it from cover to cover."

Mara L. Pratt, M. D., author and ex-teacher, Malden Mass., says: "If I were still teaching, how I should seize upon these books. It seems to me you have got at the substance of the Pollard System without its burden of encumbrances.

Alex. Hamilton, M. D., ex-teacher, Toronto, says: "I know of not only none better, but of none so good as yours."

Duren J. H. Ward, ex superintendent of Workingmen's School, New York, has the following: "The greatest device for primary reading ever published has been lately worked out by Mrs. Eliza B. Burnz in her Step-By-Step Pronouncing Primer."

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Charles E. Sprague, Treasurer of Spelling Reform Association, says: "A simple but effective solution of a great problem."

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All Czars Are Fatalists.

The czars of Russia are necessarily fatalists to a large extent, for they are firm believers in the divine right, and hold the conscientious belief that they are the creatures of providence and have been placed upon the throne by a supreme being to subserve his ends. This feeling, added to the great nerve and physical courage of the Romanoff family, its characteristic indomitable will and huge physical proportions, has made the Russian rulers anything but cowards. At the same time they have naturally realized the presence of enemies so deadly, so secret, so stealthy and so patient, that they have ever taken precautions for their own safety, and no czar would recklessly tempt death by going abroad without a proper escort and guard. Alexander III, saw his father blown to pieces, his own life had been saved a dozen times by accidents which he termed miracles, and it was but natural that he should defeat his enemies if possible. But he was not a coward and did not live in constant fear of his life. He transacted the business of his government, worked hard and late, and when his labors were over devoted a portion of his time to his family. Because he was to so great an extent a fatalist, when his time came I have no doubt that he thanked God for the fact that he was warned and was allowed to die a peaceful death.—Indianapolis *Sentinel.*

Use it in Time.

Catarrh starts in the nasal passages, affecting eyes, ears and throat, and is in fact, the great enemy of the mucous membrane. Neglected colds in the head almost invariably precede catarrh causing an excessive flow of mucus, and if the mucus discharge becomes interrupted the disagreeable results of catarrh will follow, such as bad breath, severe pain across forehead and about the eyes, a roaring and buzzing sound in the ears and oftentimes a very offensive discharge. Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for these troubles.

FINDING HIS MATE.

One day, driving the missing horse's mate, he went to a stable where horses were sold at auction. As he was driving up to it, but still some distance away, his horse grew uneasy and gave a loud whinny, which a moment after was answered by a whinny from the stable. "My horse is in that stable!" exclaimed the man. He got out of his wagon, went in, and there to be sure was his stolen horse. The animals seemed overjoyed to meet each other, whinnied back and forth, rubbed each other's necks, and indulged in all the demonstrations of equine affection. Now, how do you suppose the horse outside knew that his mate was inside that stable? Was it scent, or instinct finer than that with which human beings are endowed? We cannot tell.—*Christian Register.*

Chinese Officials to be Executed.

An imperial decree was issued lately ordering that Kung, ex-Taotai of Port Arthur, and General Yeh Chi Cao, who were tried by the Board of Punishment, be condemned to prison until autumn, when they are to be executed for losing Port Arthur to the Japanese.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE,

—OF VALUABLE—

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Pursuant to an order of the Court of Common Pleas, the undersigned assignee will sell at public sale on the several premises or at the Court House, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1895:

NO. 1.—Exchange Hotel and Lot, situated on Main, or Second street, beginning at south-east corner of Main or Second street and Whitman's alley in the Town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, Pennsylvania; thence along said Second or Main street eastwardly, to the alley between the Exchange Hotel and Exchange block; thence along said alley southwardly, one hundred feet; thence along an alley north-eastwardly, eighty feet; thence southwardly, in a line parallel with Centre street one hundred and fourteen feet and six inches, to Pine alley; thence along Pine alley south-westwardly, one hundred sixty-eight feet and four inches, to Whitman's alley; thence along said alley north-westwardly, two hundred fourteen and one-half feet, to the place of beginning. Whereon is erected a four-story brick hotel, brick barn, ice-house and other outbuildings.

NO. 2.—Store buildings and lot, situated on north-east corner of Main and Market streets in said Town of Bloomsburg, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on north side of Second street, in line of lot of John K Grotz; thence on the line of said Second street south-westwardly, to Market Square, a distance of fifty-five feet; thence in line of said square seventy-one and a half feet; thence in line of said square south-westwardly, thirty-three feet to Market street; thence in the line of Market St. north-westwardly eighty-six feet to line of lot of Charles W. McKelvy Jr.; thence by said lot north-eastwardly to lot of John K. Grotz aforesaid; thence by said lot southwardly, one hundred and fifty-eight feet to Second street, the place of beginning.

NO. 3.—Opera House, situated on Centre street in said Town of Bloomsburg, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at north-west corner of Pine alley and Centre street, thence along Centre street northwardly, one hundred fourteen and one-half feet; thence westwardly along alley in rear of Exchange block fifty-three feet; thence southwardly parallel with Centre street one hundred and fourteen and one-half feet to Pine alley aforesaid; and thence eastwardly along said alley fifty-three feet to the place of beginning. Whereon is erected a brick building containing six store rooms on the first floor and a public hall on second floor as Bloomsburg Opera House.

NO. 4.—House and lot, situated on Catharine street in the Town of Bloomsburg, beginning at a point in east line of Catharine street and corner of lot of Franklin P. McBride; thence south-westwardly, fifty feet; thence eastwardly one hundred and fourteen feet to an alley; thence northwardly fifty feet to lot of F. P. McBride; thence westwardly to place of beginning; whereon is erected a double frame dwelling house and outbuilding.

NO. 5.—House and lot, situated on First street in the Town of Bloomsburg, bounded on the north by First street; on the east by Parsonage lot of Bloomsburg Baptist church, on the south by Ridge alley; and on the west by Jefferson street, having a front of about forty feet on First street.

NO. 6.—House and lot on West street, situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, bounded and described as follows: On the north by lot of John Pensyl, on the east by West street, on the south by lot of Catharine H. Wilson, and on the west by lot now, or late of John Pursel.

NO. 7.—House and lot on East street, situate in the Town of Bloomsburg, beginning at a post corner of Main street (East street) and William Kern's lot; thence by said street south-eastwardly fifty feet to lot late of George L. Johnson; thence by said lot south-westwardly one hundred and ninety-eight feet to an alley; thence by said alley north-westwardly fifty feet to a lot of William Kerns; thence by the same north-eastwardly one hundred and ninety-eight feet to the place of beginning; whereon is erected a double frame dwelling and a single frame dwelling, and outbuildings.

NO. 8—Wharf lot on Canal street in the Town of Bloomsburg, situate on said Canal street; beginning at a point on berme bank of Penna. canal and in west line of Market street, thence by said street northwardly one hundred and forty-eight feet, more or less to Port Noble street; thence by same westwardly five hundred four and a half feet, more or less, to land late of George Weaver, now of Penna. Canal Co.; thence by same southwardly one hundred and forty-eight feet, more or less, to the canal aforesaid; thence eastwardly by same five hundred four and one-half feet to place of beginning, containing about one and three-fourths acres.

NO. 9.—House and lot on Seventh street, in Town of Bloomsburg, bounded on the north by public road leading to Espy, on the east by lot of A. Noble, on the south by an alley, and on the west by lot of M. C. Woodward, being in front fifty feet, in depth two hundred feet; whereon is erected a two-story brick dwelling house, frame stable and outbuildings.

NO. 10.—Grist mill, eight acres of land and three houses, situate in Hemlock township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, beginning at stone of line of land of William Ivey; thence by said land N., 58 deg. W. 9.7 perches to a post; thence N., 6 deg. W 6.6 perches to a point on bank of Head Race; thence 10¼ deg. E. 2.5 perches to a stone; thence N., 60 deg. E. 7.4 perches to a stone in public road leading from Bloomsburg to Buckhorn; thence N., 23¾ deg., E. 14.2 perches to a stone; thence N. 79 deg. E. 1.6 perches to a corner near a springhouse; thence N., 3 deg. W. 1 perch to a stone; thence S. 52½ deg. E. 2.4 perches to a stone; thence S. 17¾ deg. W. 5.1 perches to a stone; thence S. 2¾ deg. W. 8.6 perches to a stone in the public road; thence S. 72 deg. E. 11.1 perches to a white oak; thence along land of James Barton, S., 50 deg. W. 21 perches to a stone, the place of beginning; containing two acres and eighteen perches, being the property known as the Red Mill. Together with the reserved rights and water rights as set forth in a certain deed of conveyance to William Ivey, dated 28th May, 1881 Recorded deed book 33, page 411, etc. Together with the seven acres of land containing the dam or reservoir of said water power as described and conveyed to I. W. McKelvy by William Ivey and wife by deed dated 1st Sept. 1882. Recorded in deed book 35, page 354, etc. Said Red Mill property includes three dwellings, barn and outbuildings

NO. 11. (a.)—Share of I. W. McKelvy in estate of Wm. McKelvy, deceased. Undivided one-half interest in piece of land in said Town of Bloomsburg, bounded north by Pennsylvania canal; east by lot formerly of Martin Randall; south by public road (now Ninth street) leading from ferry road to Market street; and west by land of estate of Michael Tracey, containing 3 acres 66 perches, strict measure.

NO. 11. (b.)—Said I. W. McKelvy's share in his father's undivided one-half interest in lot of land in said Town of Bloomsburg, bounded north by east-Third street; east by land now or late of Land Improvement Co.; south by Fifth street and and west by alley parallel with East street and several lots fronting thereon, containing about eighteen acres.

NO. 11. (c.)—Said I. W. McKelvy's share in his father's undivided one-half interest in lot of land in said Town of Bloomsburg, known as the McClure farm, bounded south by Susquehanna river; east by lands of estate of D. J. Waller, of Bloomsburg & Sullivan R. R. Co., Rupert and Bloomsburg R. R. Co., and Bloomsburg Carpet Mill Co.; north by said Carpet Mill Co., Columbia County Agricultural Association, C. B. Sterling, Samuel Giger, Barton and estate of V. Boone, and west by land of estate of V. Boone and lands of Daniel Bryfogle, containing one hundred and twenty-five acres more or less.

NO. 11. (d.)—Said I. W. McKelvy's share in his father's undivided one-half interest in lot of land situate on public road leading from Bloomsburg to Light Street (known as the Fullmer farm) and in the Town of Bloomsburg, aforesaid, bounded by lands of Valentine Kressler, Robert M. Lewis and Elizabeth Ritter, and containing 101 acres, 88 perches, strict measure.

NO. 11. (e.)—Said I. W. McKelvy's share in his father's undivided one-half interest in lot of land near the last described land and in said Town, bounded by land of Samuel Melick and David Lee, Robert M Lewis and Samuel Hamlin, containing 16 acres 102 perches, strict measure.

NO. 11. (f.)—Said I. W. McKelvy's share in his father's undivided half interest in lot of land beginning at a point on the line between the 101 a. 88 p. farm above described and Elizabeth Ritter's land where said line crosses public road leading from Bloomsburg to Light Street, and bounded by said public road and land of said Elizabeth Ritter, containing one acre 132 perches, strict measure, whereon is erected a two-story frame dwelling house.

NO. 11. (g.)—Said I. W. McKelvy's shares in his father's undivided half interest in lot of land in said Town of Bloomsburg, situated on the east side of East street, bounded north by lot of Eli Jones, east by an alley, south by an alley, west by East street; having a front of fifty-three feet three inches on East street and a depth of one hundred and ninety eight feet. Whereon is erected a brick dwelling house.

NO. 11. (h.)—Said I. W. McKelvy's share in his father's undivided half interest in a lot of land in Centre township Columbia county, Pa., bounded south by D. L. & W. R. R. Co., east by land of L. W. Wooley, Lewis Dietterick and H. C. Barton, north by land of John K. Grotz, west by land of Low Brothers and McKelvy, Neal and Freas, containing 2¼ acres. Also the ½ interest or share of I. W. McKelvy in his father's undivided one-fourth interest in adjoining lot of land bounded north by McKelvy and Neal, east by McKelvy and Neal, south by Low Brothers, and west by A. Hagenbuch, containing one quarter of an acre.

NO. 11. (i.)—Said I. W. McKelvy's one-fifth share in father's undivided half interest in the surface of certain lands in Hemlock township, Columbia county, Pa., and one-eighth interest in the iron ore therein, known as the McBride lot, bounded by lands of Hugh McBride, Peter Appleman and Bloomsburg Iron Company, containing 38 acres and 69 perches, strict measure.

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Sales.

MARCH 5th—Iram Kitchen will sell in West Hemlock township, Montour county, on the farm of Jeremiah Wintersteen, five head of good horses, three milch cows, one brood sow with pig, and other farm animals and implements. See bills.

MARCH 12th.—Nathan Smith will sell on his premises in Fishingcreek township, about one mile east from Forks station, on the above named date, six horses, three cows, a bull, a brood sow, and in fact all his farm animals and implements besides his household and kitchen furniture. (See bills.)

MARCH 14,—Eli Kitchen will sell on his premises, near Jerseytown, on date above mentioned, all his farm animals, implements, grain, &c. See bills.

MARCH 14.—G. M. Lemon will sell on his place near Welliversville, in the afternoon of above date a good lot of farm animals and implements. See bills.

MARCH 20.—A. Z. Schoch, assignee of I. W. McKelvy, will sell real estate consisting of the Exchange Hotel, Opera House, store property, Hemlock Mill, and numerous town properties. See advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

B. P. Marcley will sell at public sale in Bloomsburg on Saturday March 9th, at 2 o'clock P. M. a fine dwelling home, and lot 55x195 feet, located on East Street. This will make a pleasant house for some person, as well as a good investment. He will also sell the frame store building on Market square at 4 o'clock of same day.

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Call at the COLUMBIAN office and get a handsome calendar for 1895. We give them away to adults. tf.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Interesting Items From Various Points in the County, Reported by Our Staff of Correspondents.

JERSEYTOWN.

Sleighing in places is getting very poor while in other places there is only too much.

Mrs. Ida Welliver has been confined to her bed for the past few days on account of a severe attack of la grip; but she is slowly improving again.

Mr. Pegg, never try to race on the top of a snow bank, for you are always sure to get turned over.

County Convention was held in the M. E. Church of this place Saturday afternoon and evening. Mr. Spear, county treasurer, of Cabin Run, was present and made several good remarks.

A large crowd of our citizens drove out to Madison to meeting Sunday night.

Frank Cotner and wife of Williamsport spent Sunday with his mother Mrs. Dr. Cotner of this place.

William Smith, of Montandon, Pa., spent a few days with his brother, Miles, last week.

Messrs Gidding & Co. the clothiers of Bloom request us to say that all out of town people who wish to guess how long the candle on exhibition will burn can send in their guesses by mail to them. Guessing is free to everyone. 1st Prize, Trip to Atlantic City and return. 2nd. Prize, Mackintosh Coat. 3rd Prize, Hat, value $2.50.

BENTON.

Ira McHenry buried two infant children Sunday; one of J. W. Voorhis, of Jamison City, and one of Romeo Peterman, at Laubachs.

Miss Maude Mann, of Lime Ridge, is visiting friends here this week.

The Concert Friday night, given by the Berwick Band, was largely attended and highly appreciated. Their band consisted of a jolly crowd of boys.

Jim Brady and J. P. Hill, of Jamison City, attended the concert and returned home after the dance, well pleased.

Ben Crossley who has been engaged in the Benton milling Co's. mill for the past year has taken charge of the Swartwout mill above town, formerly run by T. B. Cole. He is an experienced miller and no doubt will meet with success.

Miss Dot Crossley who has been visiting relatives at Nordmont returned home last week.

Mark Andrews upset with a load of ties above town Tuesday, but escaped with no injuries.

Roy Sands visited his parents at Wellersville last Sunday, and also enjoyed a good sleigh ride.

B. S. Keller, the Millville stove dealer, C. R. Cox and family, we noticed in town on Monday.

The public schools of Cambra enjoyed a sleigh ride Friday and stopped at the McHenry House awhile, before returning home.

Mussleman Brothers are working on Harry Bittenbender's house on Fair street, and have it near to completion.

Palestine Longest, of Jamison City, was in town last week on business and doing some trading.

The meetings at the Christain Church are meeting with success, a number have resolved to lead a better life, and the church is crowded nightly.

Nathan Tubbs who has been visiting his son Glen, returned to his home at Raven Creek Tuesday.

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Married.

On the 7th inst at the Reformed parsonage in Orangeville, by Rev. A. Houtz, Mr. H. S. Hummel and Miss Clara A. Whitenight, both of Fishingcreek.

In Beaver Valley, on Saturday, February 23d, Miss Cora Fry, of Ringtown, to Mr. Arthur Fry, of Beaver Valley. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. Aurand.

On Feb. 26th, 1895, by W. B. Snyder, J. P., at his office in Locust twp. Mr. Andrew L. Leiby, Locust twp., and Miss Annie F. Stine, Cleveland twp., both of Columbia county, Pa.

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Weather Wise.

Weather prophet Foster has evidently got his eye-teeth cut as a prophet. After making a rather bold forecast for Spring weather, in which he predicts drouth in April and May for the northeastern part of the United States and excessive rain in the southeast at the same time, he takes the wise precaution to remind readers that they are not to construe his conjectures as applying to every locality, either north or south. He don't want to be held responsible as a prophet for local failures of his prophecy, either as to drouth in the north or excessive rain in the south. Like other weather-prophets who have not always guessed straight, he prefers to generalize rather than particularize. He simply claims that there will be a deficiency of moisture upon the whole in the north and an excess of rain in the south. It is certainly kind in Mr. Foster to conclude his prophecy as follows:

"The above forecast is not reliable for any one small locality, and it can only serve as an indication as to what the general effect on crops will be from a deficiency northeast and an excess southeast. Farmers and planters can make their own estimates and determine what crops will pay best with such weather conditions in the two spring months. The crop season of 1895 will be one of the most remarkable and uncommon that has occurred for years."

But will it be remarkable for scarcity or abundance? Considering the unfavorable conditions resulting from Spring drouth, the prophecy may have two interpretations. Good crops would conform with the prophecy and so would poor crops. What shall the harvest be?

More Rectifying Light Wanted.

The monetary question of this country, like the interminable tariff question, is so susceptible of delusive argument with both parties that it is no trick at all for either the bimetalist or the gold standard advocate to make a plausible showing to the sovereign power. All that the illiterate, the honest and deluded of the sovereign power of this country can do, in these and similar cases, is to go it blind, and trust in the Lord's promise to confound the wise and bring to naught the things that are mighty hard for anybody to fully comprehend, and especially as they are revealed to the sovereign power by our modern statesmen who are in "the swim." No matter as to which party he may belong to, it is only the so-called "crank" who presumes to tell all he knows for the good of his country or the enlightenment of the sovereign power. But since this power alone retains the rectifying process, and it can indirectly if not directly straighten out the ugly kinks made in our laws by our law makers, it should therefore be dealt with frankly by representatives claiming to be fair and honest gentlemen. Briefly, there is entirely too much light hidden under a bushel, as between representative and constituent, in all our monetary and commercial affairs. Let us have light pure and simple.

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Judge Handley, of Lackawanna county, was afflicted with the grip one month before he succumbed to the inevitable and expired. He was a man of wealth and judicial distinction; but grip, that fell destroyer among the old folks, is no respecter of persons and it numbers ex-Judge Handley among its many victims.

William K. Carlisle, son of the Secretary of the Treasury risked a recent ride across the ocean to Antwerp, on the Westernland a steamship of the Red Star Line. The trip is taken for the good of his health.

Death has been busy in this community during the past week. Besides those mentioned elsewhere, Hiram C. Eves died at his home in Irondale last Thursday, aged fifty-five years. His remains were buried at Orangeville.

A butterfly made its appearance at the residence of Mrs. Shoemaker in Fishingcreek township last Saturday morning. The cocoon had been in the house some time, and the insect emerged from it at the time stated. We rather imagine the poor thing has ere this regretted its rashness in thus venturing out so early in the season.

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